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# I. Conference Chronological Roll

# CHRONOLOGICAL CONFERENCE ROLL ON ADJOURNMENT, 1917

According to year of reception into the Traveling Ministry by any Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The surviving pioneers of the first decade with continuous Colorado Conference membership are George H. Adams and Cyrus A. Brooks.

Full first Christian name and postoffice address and year of entering the Colorado Conference are in the Pastoral Record and Directory. Figure following shows day of response to Roll Call.

	7 07 7	1990	1887
1848	1873	J. W. Huston	W. E. Collett (3)
A. B. Hyde	J. F. Coffman		S. H. Kirkbride (1)
	Samuel Knupp	C. B. Wilcox (1)	J. J. Lace (1)
		A. W. Coffman (1)	J. R. Wood
1859			J. K. W000
G. H. Adams	1874		
R. H. Rhodes	Robert Sanderson	1881	
11, 11, 11, 10, 10, 10	W. F. Steele (1)	J. R. Rader (1)	1888
	S. B. Warner	C. B. Spencer (2)	W. T. Miller
	D. D. HULLE		A. W. Rice (1)
1860			R. N. Smith (1)
C. W. Shaw		14	G. A. Spence
	1875	1883	
	T. P. Cook	A. L. T. Ewert (1)	
1861		H. F. Knight	1289
B. T. Vincent		O. K. Maynard (1)	J. H. Adams
D. 1. Vincent	1876	A. C. Peck	S. W. Albone
	Naaman Bascom	C. W. Simmons	
	John Collins (1)		D. D. Forsyth (2)
1867	oom comis (1)		G. S. Parker (1)
Earl Cranston		10000	
2011 010110011		1884	
	1877	J. A. Davis (1)	1890
7000	G. P. Avery	T. J. Hamilton	O. M. Bowman (1)
1869	W. H. Greene		G. A. Cage (1)
J. G. Bonnell (1)	M. D. Hornbeck (1)		W. S. Grim
			W. S. Grin
		1885	
1870		A. L. Chase (1)	
Frost Craft (1)	1878	H. M. Mayo (1)	1891
T. C. Hiff	J. F. White	Adolph Roedel	O. W. Fifer (1)
Lynderman Wright		C. B. Steele (1)	G. E. Kitchen (1)
	1879		
1872	J. F. Harris (1)	1886	7,000
C. A. Brooks	N. H. Lee (1)		1892
H. A. Buchtel (3)	W. D. Phifer	Josiah Martin (1)	J. A. Large (2)
II. A. Duchtel (5)	w. D. riller	S. H. Slutz	S. A. Webber

## Colorado Conference

1893	1900	1906	1912
E. E. Bean	O. W. Auman (1)	Dorr Amerman	J. G. Brawn (1)
G. M. Henderson (1)	R. H. Ayres (1)	O. E. Barker (3)	L. W. Coffman (1)
L. J. Hole (2)	J. T. Bainbridge (1)	H. S. French (1)	J. M. Flynn (3)
W. D. Waller (1)	W. E. Bennett (1)	P. D. Griffin (2)	W. J. Keeser (1)
	J. T. Carson (1)	W. J. Kidd	T. J. Tramel (1)
	A. N. Chapman (1)	D. M. Scott (1)	2101 2100002 (2)
	E. N. Edgerton (1)	D. 32. 50000 (1)	
1894	W. T. Gatley (2)		
R. E. Bird (1)	A. F. Ragatz (1)	3007	1913
E. S. Burr (1)	F. H. Rose (1)	1907	
F. R. Hollenback (1)	J. Q. Vermillion (3)	Joseph Antle (1)	H. J. Catterall (1)
T. J. Hooper	o. Q. (cimilion (b)	J. M. Dickey (1)	Benj. Eitelgeorge (1)
C. F. Lucas		J. A. Hutchins (1)	E. G. W. Estlow (1)
W. T. Scott (1)	1901	G. F. Klein (1)	A. W. Hall (1) E. G. Ingraham (1)
		J. A. McClellan (1)	
A. J. Waller (1)	C. R. Garver	J. A. Shepherd (1)	J. Freelen Johnson (1)
		James Thomas (1)	J. H. Ketchum (1)
			James McDonald (1)
			E. E. Tuck
1895	1902	1908	Fred Zimmerman (1)
G. U. Balsley	C'. H. Inman (1)		
F. H. Essert	A. M. Maclean (1)	T. C. Collister (1)	
F. T. Krueger (2)	J. W. Mahood (1)	A. B. Horton (1)	
C. L. Mead (1)	H. R. Morris (1)	G. L. Nuckolls (1)	1914
Walter Morritt (1)	H. M. Pingree (2)	H. H. E. Pohl (1)	H. L. Elston (1)
C. A. Rowand (1)	R. S. Rutledge	R. L. Smith (2)	O. G. Konkel (1)
G. H. Stuntz (1)		C. O. Thibodeau (1)	William Pepper (1)
John Winterbourne (1)			P. A. Shields (1)
(-)	1903	1000	
	J. A. Beebe (1)	1909	
	John Brand (1)	W. E. Bell (1)	7075
1896	J. T. Coulter (1)	W. F. Clark (1)	1915
	F. F. Gibbs (1)	C. L. Marsh	C. D. Basham (2)
C. W. Huett (1)	G. E. Konkel (1)		W. M. Garner (1)
J. W. Rose	A. C. Thurlow (1)		C. B. Martin (1)
	William Walder	1910	I. L. Morgan (1)
	J. V. Watson (2)		H. A. Wood (1)
		G. W. Cook (1)	
1898		S. A. Curtis (1)	
C. M. Cooper (1)	1904	J. Albert Dean (1)	
J. Andrew Dean (1)	J. R. Edwards (1)	W. W. Speer (1)	
Edward Nolte	J. S. Ferris	F. P. Sulmonetti (1)	
John Oliver (1)	0 2 0	Fred Varcoe (2)	
P. M. Spencer			
	1905		
		1911	4
	J. H. Boner		
1899	C. E. Carroll	H. M. Bettenhausen	
	W. C. Cronk (1)	M. L. Bullock (1)	
R. R. Adams (1)	E. B. Martin (1)	S. G. Dorey	
J. M. Eldridge (1)	F. E. McGuire (1)	L. P. Fagen (1)	
R. H. Forrester (1)	Arthur Morrison (1)	A. L. Leech (1)	
C. W. Hancher (1)	G. F. Rassweiler (1)	F. W. Pimlott (1)	
B. F. Ross (1)	G. G. Saywell (1)	W. B. Read	
B. F. Ross (1) W. N. Tobie			

## PROBATIONERS

When the name of the appointment is NOT that of the postoffice, the name of the post-office follows:

NAMES	APPOINTMENT	Joined on Trial	DIFFERENT P. O
Resttie Murray	John Collins.	1917	2403 Bannock
	Oak Creek	1917	
	Idaho Conference		
	Grace, Rural (Longmont R.F.D.) .	1917	
	Cheyenne Wells	1917	
Fleming, J. James	Cripple Creek	1917	
Logan, Leslie B	Hudson	1917	
	Edgewater	1917	
	Iliff School of Theology	1916	2144 S. Josephine
	Louisville	1916	
	Simpson		3134 Williams St.

### SUPPLIES

## (A) Having Connection With Annual Conferences

NAMES	RELATION	APPOINTMENT	OTHER P. O.
Rohner A I	Iowa Probationer*	Packham	
	N. W. Nebraska Member		
Carnenter, A. M.:	St. Louis Member	Cedaredge	Tool III Tital Deliver
	Puget Sound		
Chambers, R. S	Denver, M. E. South	Cortez	
le la Gardie, O. A. H	Central Illinois Retired	Harkness Heights	4171 Irving, Denver
Dryden, Leander C	S. W. Kansas Member*	Jefferson Ave	Wheatridge
Fish, Clarence M	Missouri Probationer	Silver Plume	
	Des Moines Retired		
Glass, J. L	S. W. Kansas Member*	Broomfield	-
Gordon, Ernest R	Kansas Member	Clough & Wright	937 W. Ellsworth, D'r
	N. W. Iowa Probationer*		
	Illinois Retired		
Kelley, Louis M	Wyoming State Probationer*	Barnum	3501 W. 1st Ave., Denve
	Kansas Probationer*		
	Baltimore M mber		
	Idaho Probationer		
	Oklahoma Member		
	Oklahoma Member		
	Montana Member*		
	S. W. Kansas Retired		
Munger A T	Missouri Member S. W. Kansas Supernumerary	Crawford	
Rose W H	St. Louis Retired	Dothol & Tome	Crond Tot P F D
LEUGE, W. H	Oklahoma Retired	Detner & Loma	Grand Jet., R. F. D.

<sup>\*</sup>Left without appointment to attend one of our Schools.

## SUPPLIES—Continued

## (B) Local Preachers

NAMES	APPOINTMENTS	DIFFERENT P. O.
Campbell, W. A	Blanca	
	Austin	
	Kersey	
	Keota Ct	
Ditmar, G. A	Norwood	
Doebler, Sara		Hillside
Evans, Albert		***************************************
Gale, Louis		Ignacio
Groat, W. J		
Guest, W. H	Granada	
Guy, F. Ridley	Stonington	
Harris, C. E	Otis and Laird	
Johnson, Fred	South Divide	
Jones, J. R	Evans	Dec 2 oben Game
Lane, J. P		Colorado Springs
Logston, F. L	Fountain	Colorado opringo
Manning, G. H	Grover	
Mumford, J. E	Bristol	
Resor, P. M.	Clifton	
Scarffe, R. E	Cheraw	
Silkwood, B	Rockvale	
Sledge, G. T	East Colorado Mission	Limon R. F. D.
Soash, V. C	Steamboat Springs	
Stainforth, R	Springfield	
Tagg, E. G	Uncompangre and Colona	
Taylor, Alex		
Taylor, R. O		
Webster, Rufus D		

## II. Officers of the Conference

BISHOP FRANCIS J. McCONNELL, Presiding Bishop, Denver, Colorado.

ARTHUR F. RAGATZ, Secretary, 216 Y. M. C. A. Building, Denver, Colorado. Assistants—George L. Nuckolls, Fred H. Zimmerman.

W. F. STEELE, Annuitants Recorder.

JOHN COLLINS, Statistician.

Assistants—Mugray Beattie, J. T. Bainbridge, G. W. Cook, J. McDonald and O. M. Bowman.

E. G. INGRAHAM, Treasurer.

Assistants-A. W. Hall, J. G. Brawn, John Winterbourne, O. G. Konkel and C. M. Fish.

ROBERT H. FORRESTER, Registrar, Fort Collins, Colorado.

J. W. MAHOOD, Fare Equalizer and Railroad Secretary, Assistants—J. T. Coulter, G. E. Kitchen and H. S. French.

JACOB R. RADER, Postmaster.

ROBERT SANDERSON, HUBERT SHATTUCK, C. B. WILCOX and S. B. WARNER, Conference Trustees.

# III. Officers of Conference Societies

## PERMANENT BOARDS AND SOCIETIES

#### CONFERENCE RELATIONS BOARD

(Nominated and elected from the Conference floor; exempt from appointment and service on any standing or other committee; to serve through the Conference of year stated.)

R. N. Smith, O. W. Fifer, J. R. Edwards, L. J. Hole, through session of 1918.

C. B. Steele, A. L. Chase, G. H. Stuntz, S. H. Kirkbride, through session of 1919.

C. B. Wilcox, C. L. Mead, R. H. Ayres and Guy E. Konkel, through session of 1920.

#### THE PREACHER'S AID SOCIETY

E. M. Cranston, President

John Collins, Secretary W. F. Steele, Treasurer

J. R. Edwards, Vice-President

### Trustees or Managers

F. E. Miller, John Collins, J. R. Edwards, through session of 1918.

E. M. Cranston, L. J. Hole, C. O. Thibodeau, through session of 1919.

W. F. Steele, F. R. Hollenback, J. J. Flint, through session of 1920.

### Investing Committee

E. M. Cranston, John Collins, F. E. Miller.

#### FORM OF BEQUEST

### CONFERENCE STEWARDS' BOARD

(Exempt from nomination and service on any standing or other committee; to serve through the Conference of the year stated.)

The Managers of the Preachers' Aid Society, and R. H. Forrester and A. J. Waller, 1918; O. M. Bowman and W. D. Waller, 1919.

### BOARD OF EXAMINERS

O. K. Maynard, Chairman; R. H. Forrester, Registrar; R. R. Adams, R. H. Ayres, J. A. Beebe, W. E. Bennett, A. L. Chase, Frost Craft, J. A. Davis, J. R. Edwards, J. M. Eldridge, F. T. Krueger, J. J. Lace, N. H. Lee, F. E. McGuire, H. M. Pingree, A. F. Ragatz, Roy L. Smith, G. H. Stuntz, T. B. Tyre and A. J. Waller.

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

(See Discipline, Par. 428. Also Minutes)

### Colorado Springs District-District Superintendent

A. L. Chase	
G. F. Rassweiler	
W. A. PalmerS. S. Supt	
E. B. Simmons Lay Member	3

#### Denver District-District Superintendent

R. L. Smith	Dist. Miss. Sec	. 2121 Gilpin
P. S. Bruckman		
A. H. White	S. S. Supt	115 S. Clarkson, Denver
H O Smith		

### Grand Junction District-District Superintendent

F. E.	McGuire	Miss. Sec	. Grand Junction
G. F.	Klein		. Delta
S. C.	HoelS. S.	Supt	.Grand Junction
W. G	HillmanLay	Member	.Delta

### Greeley District-District Superintendent

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J. T. Cameron	League PresGreeley
A. H. Dunn	. SuptFort Collins
Guy A. AdamsLav	MemberBoulder

### Pueblo District-District Superintendent

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L.	Μ.	Nelson	Dist. Leagu	e Pres	Fourth and Main, Pueblo
B.	F.	Scribner	S. S. Supt.		818 W. 18th, Pueblo
W.	L.	Hartman	Lav Membe	r	315 Jackson Pueblo

### CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The District Superintendents, Conference Standing Committee on Sunday Schools and the following ministers: G. L. Nuckolls, G. F. Klein, C. A. Rowand, Fred Zimmerman, R. R. Adams, H. M. Pingree, with the following laymen: Arch H. White, C. B. Forbes, D. Shaw Duncan, W. S. Fry.

### BOARD OF CHURCH LOCATION

Colorado Springs District-The Superintendent, T. P. Barber, A. E. Scharman, F. C. Graves, A. L. Chase.

Denver District—The Superintendent, Frank McDonough, Sr., A. L. Doud, J. R. Edwards, O. W. Fifer.

Grand Junction District—The Superintendent, D. W. Auperlee, S. C. Henn, A. M. Maclean, J. Albert Dean,

Greeley District-The Superintendent, H. L. Large, A. M. Wilkins, G. M. Henderson, C. B. Steele.

Pueblo District-The Superintendent, P. J. Reifel, M. F. Miller, A. J. Waller, C. A. Lucas.

## CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION (See Discipline, 447)

The five District Superintendents, F. E. Miller, W. W. Hamilton, A. H. White, C. O. Thibodeau, G. C. Hickey, H. L. Shattuck, P. H. Naylor, L. J. Hole, J. R. Edwards.

### DEACONESS BOARD

A. C. Peck, Mrs. A. L. Chase, Mrs. C. W. Huett, through 1917.
Frost Craft, C. L. Mead, G. F. Klein, through 1918.
H. M. Pingree, Mrs. C. W. Hancher, Mrs. N. H. Lee, through 1919.

### CONFERENCE TEMPERANCE SOCIETY

(Serving as Temperance Committee at Conference and having powers between sessions.)
E. G. Ingraham, S. B. Warner, O. W. Auman, through 1918.
R. H. Ayres, J. R. Edwards, G. L. Nuckolls, through 1919.
M. D. Hornbeck, E. N. Edgerton, L. J. Hole, through 1920.

### COMMISSION ON FINANCE

C. L. Mead, E. B. Simmons, H. O. Smith, C. W. Huett, G. A. Adams, C. O. Thibodeau, W. G. Hillman, J. H. Ketchum, M. F. Miller, and the five District Superintendents.

### CONFERENCE SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION

Bishop McConnell, O. W. Auman, O. W. Fifer, J. A. Beebe.

### REPRESENTATIVES TO COLORADO HOME MISSIONS COUNCIL

J. H. Causey, H. E. Johnson, the five District Superintendents.

### TRIERS OF APPEALS

F. T. Krueger, O. K. Maynard, O. W. Auman, E. N. Edgerton, G. M. Henderson. Reserves—C. H. Inman, A. L. T. Ewert.

### TRUSTEES OF PENIEL TRUST ASSOCIATION

O. W. Auman, F. R. Hollenback, Isaac J. Keator.

#### TO ADDRESS PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY

J. A. Beebe.

## IV. Conference Committees

### STANDING COMMITTEES THROUGH SESSION OF 1917

American Bible-Ragatz, Elston, J. Martin, Cooper, Saywell, R. L. Smith.

Auditing-Morris, Phifer, Ingraham.

Beth-El Hospital-M. N. Smith, Stuntz, Ross, Barker, Morritt, Saywell, R. N. Smith.

Books and Periodicals-J. Andrew Dean, Johnson, Flynn.

Church Property-Thomas, Brand, F. H. Rose.

District Conference Records-French, Shepherd, Bird, Cooper.

Education—M. N. Smith, Adams, Ayres, Nuckolls, Bennett, Bird, Buchtel, Chase, Craft, Edwards, Fifer, Henderson, Huett, Krueger, Lee, E. B. Martin, Maynard, Mead, Rowand, C. B. Spencer, C. B. Steele, Thibodeau, A. J. Waller, Warner, Bell, Read.

Episcopal Fund-J. Andrew Dean, Large, Clark, Kitchen, McClelland.

Epworth League-Mahood, Klein, Keeser, Bennett, Barker

Foreign Missions-W. D. Waller, McGuire, J. Albert Dean, Morrison, Ewert.

Freedman's Aid-Grimm, A. W. Coffman, Read, Hall.

Home Missions and Church Extension-Stuntz, Morris, Thurlow, Carson, R. L. Smith.

Memoirs-Coulter, J. F. Coffman, Large, John Collins.

Resolutions-Rice, Chapman, Horton, Tyre.

Sabbath Observance-G. W. Cook, McDonald, Antle, Morris.

State of the Church-Eldredge, Pimlott, Fagen, W. D. Waller, Griffin.

Temperance—Ayres, Pepper, Bowman, J. H. Ketchum, and members of the Conference Temperance Society.

W. F. M. S .- Huett, Catterall, Curtis, Ewert.

W. H. M. S .- Bonnell, Sulmonetti, Oliver, Estlow, Clark, Ross, Antle.

### STANDING COMMITTEES NAMED FOR SERVICE THROUGH THE SESSION OF 1918

American Bible Society-Brawn, Cage, Keeser, Dickey, Cooper.

Auditing-Woodworth, Leech, Grim, Ingraham, Pimlott.

Beth-El Hospital-Wilcox, Morritt, Peck, Garver, Bowman, Stuntz.

Books and Periodicals-E. B. Martin, Rassweiler, R. L. Smith, Johnson, Ketchum,

Church Property-French, O. G. Konkel, F. H. Rose, Saywell, Brand.

District Conference Records-Carroll, Gibbs, Flynn, Griffin, Shepherd.

Education—Wilcox, Guy Konkel, Bennett, Chase, Buchtel, Harris, Thomas, Vincent, Craft, Edwards, C. B. Spencer, Mayo, Beebe, Bell, Nuckolls, Fifer, Thibodeau, Mead, McGuire, C'ollister, J. Andrew Dean, Klein, Ferris, Ayres, Henderson, Bird, Krueger, Rowand, Forrester, C. B. Steele, Adams, Huett, Hall, Maynard, A. J. Waller, Warner.

Episcopal Fund-Kitchen, Clark, Sulmonetti, Hutchins, Large.

Epworth League-Mahood, Basham, Hole, Zimmerman, Ewert.

Foreign Missions-Bullock, D. M. Scott, J. Albert Dean, Morrison, Maclean.

Freedman's Aid-Speer, Eitelgeorge, A. N. Chapman, A. W. Coffman, Shields.

Home Missions and Church Extension-Josiah Martin, Bainbridge, Flynn, Thurlow, Morris.

Memoirs-Maynard, J. F. Coffman, Coulter, Vincent, Brooks, Collins, Inman.

Resolutions-Rice, Tyre, Horton, W. E. Bell, Parker.

Sabbath Observance—McDonald, Logan, Cook, Beattie, L. W. Coffman.
State of Church—Eldridge, Spargo, McVicker, Fagen, Wood.
Temperance—Ayres, Pohl, Pepper, Fish, Phifer.
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—Huett, W. D. Waller, Curtis, Bonnell, Lee.
Woman's Home Missionary Society—Ross, Clark, Slutz, Estlow, Antle.

### THE UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

### TRUSTEES OF COLORADO SEMINARY

(Property-holding Corporation, under Charter 5 of March, 1864)

Term Expires 1918—Frederick J. Chamberlin, Earl M. Cranston, William G. Evans, David D. Forsyth, William L. Hartman, L. Wirt Markham, Joseph C. Shattuck.

Term Expires 1919—F. R. Hollenback, William S. Iliff, William Lennox, C. W. Hancher, Albert E. Reynolds, William E. Sweet, Egbert N. Wood.

Term Expires 1920—Orrin W. Auman, J. Stanley Edwards, John Evans, Orien W. Fifer, Francis J. McConnell, Frank McDonough Sr., James R. Thorpe,

Term Expires 1921—Charles R. Brock, James H. Causey, Alexander L. Doud, Ervin N. Edgerton, William H. Howell, Herbert E. Johnson, William T. Scott.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COLORADO SEMINARY AND TRUSTEES OF UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

William G. Evans, President; A. L. Doud, Vice-President; E. M. Cranston, Vice-President; F. J. Chamberlin, Treasurer; A. E. Reynolds, William S. Riff, H. E. Johnson, O. W. Auman, O. W. Fifer.

### UNIVERSITY COMMITTEE OF THE COLORADO CONFERENCE

Laymen—H. E. Barnes, F. W. Birney, F. G. Bloom, F. A. Boggess, C. F. Carnine, E. Fair, W. D. Gildersleeve, J. H. Hatcher, I. F. Keeping, C. A. MacMillin, G. C. Manly, M. F. Miller, G. W. Parfet, B. F. Scribner, H. L. Shattuck, F. W. Stover, E. C. Withrow, G. W. Whitford.

Ministers—R. R. Adams, R. H. Ayres, W. E. Bell, A. L. Chase, R. H. Forrester, G. M. Henderson, C. W. Huett, S. H. Kirkbride, F. T. Krueger, J. J. Lace, N. H. Lee, O. K. Maynard, C. L. Mead, H. M. Pingree, A. F. Ragatz, C. B. Spencer, C. O. Thibodeau, B. T. Vincent, A. J. Waller, S. B. Warner, C. B. Wilcox.

To be Conference Visitors to the University—R. E. Bird, E. E. Brace, J. G. Brawn, S. A. Bright, C. E. Carroll, A. N. Chapman, T. C. Collister, D. E. Kendall, G. E. Kitchen, G. E. Konkel, A. M. Maclean, J. W. Mahood, F. E. McGuire, G. L. Nuckolls, C. M. Cooper, W. T. Dumm, J. R. Edwards, B. Eitelgeorge, F. H. Essert, A. L. T. Ewart, J. S. Ferris, L. J. Hole, C. M. Inman, C. A. Rowand, R. L. Smith, R. N. Smith, C. B. Steele, G. H. Stuntz, J. Thomas, T. B. Tyre, W. D. Waller, J. Winterbourne.

### THE ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

### TRUSTEES OF THE ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

Term Expires in 1918—W. S. Iliff, W. T. Scott, D. D. Forsyth, Elizabeth Iliff Warren, E. J. Wilcox, H. L. Shattuck, David C. Dodge, C. K. Durbin, R. F. Watkins.

Term Expires in 1919—C. B. Wilcox, J. H. Causey, A. E. Reynolds, E. N. Wood, J. R. Thorpe, R. J. Pitkin, F. R. Hollenback, T. C. Iliff.

Term Expires in 1920—Henry M. Porter, William D. Downs, Bethuel T. Vincent, Edward L. Shannon, Louise Iliff, S. B. Warner, Francis J. McConnell, Charles L. Mead.

# V. Disciplinary Questions

- 1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?
  - The validity of an early incorporation is under consideration.
- Who have been received by transfer, and from what Conferences?
   Maurice Bullock, Idaho (3rd year's studies); Edward S. Burr, Nebraska; Lester P. Fagen, Des Moines; Ellis V. Kuhns, N. W.

Iowa; Arthur L. Leech, Maine; Paul A. Shields, Illinois (3rd year's studies); Ray W. Smith, West Wisconsin; Thomas J.

Tramel, Wyoming State—7.
3. Who have been readmitted?

None.

- 4. Who have been received on credentials, and from what churches? None.
- 5. Who have been received on trial?
  - (a) In studies of first year-
  - Murray Beattie, William Bowden, Paul H. Chapman, Albert R. Dennis, J. James Fleming, Leslie B. Logan, John P. Newell, Roy H. Mc-Vicker (has completed course of study)—10.
  - (b) In studies of third year—
- 6. Who have been continued on trial?
  - (a) In studies of first year—

John L. Spargo, Delmar D. Woodworth-2.

(b) In studies of second year-

Joseph N. Rodeheaver-1.

(c) In studies of third year-

William H. Calfee-1.

- (d) In studies of fourth year—None.
- 7. Who have been discontinued?

Frank Palmer, Ira O. Tweedy (by own request)-2.

- 8. Who have been admitted into full membership?
  - (a) Elected and ordained Deacons this year-

Maurice L. Bullock, Stanley A. Curtis, William M. Garner, Claude B. Martin, Paul A. Shields (to be ordained elsewhere), Henry A. Wood—6

(b) Elected and ordained Deacons previously-

Ira L. Morgan-1.

- 9. What members are in studies of the third year?
  - (a) Admitted into full membership this year-

Maurice L. Bullock, Stanley A. Curtis, William M. Garner, Claude B. Martin, Paul A. Shields, Henry A. Wood—6.

- (b) Admitted into full membership previously—Ceil D. Basham, William W. Speer—2.
- 10. What members are in studies of fourth year?

Stanley G. Dorey, Howard L. Elston, Edward G. Estlow, John M. Flynn, John H. Ketchum, Fred Varcoe—6.

- 11. What members have completed the conference course of study?
  - (a) Elected and ordained Elders this year-
  - James G. Brawn, Henry J. Catterall, Benjamin Eitelgeorge, Arthur W. Hall, Edward G. Ingraham, William J. Keeser, Ozra G. Konkel, James McDonald, Ernest E. Tuck (to be ordained elsewhere), Fred H. Zimmerman—10.
  - (b) Elected and ordained Elders previously-

William Pepper-1.

(c) Under Seminary rule-

Ira L. Morgan-1.

- 12. What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?
  - (a) As local preachers--

None.

(b) Under Missionary rule-

Ellis V. Kuhns—1.

(c) Under Seminary rule-

Maurice L. Bullock, Roy H. McVicker-2.

- 13. What others have been elected and ordained Elders?
  - (a) As local Deacons-

William J. Groat-1.

(b) Under Missionary rule-

Ellis V. Kuhns.

14. Was the character of each preacher examined?

This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference. The name of Stanley G. Dorey was referred to the District Superintendent for investigation.

15. Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?

Mark J. Fields, Wyoming State (in studies); Homer B. Hicks, Wyoming State (in studies); Ivor G. Hyndman, Wisconsin; George R. McDowell, Nebraska; John P. Newell, Des Moines; Hachiro Shirato, Japanese Methodist Church; William Zabilka, Nebraska—7.

16. Who have died?

Hozea L. Beardsley, Franklin W. Imboden-2.

- 17. Who have been located at their own request? None.
- 18. Who have been located? None.
- Who have withdrawn?
   Joseph S. Hurlburt, Fred Z. Norcross—2.
- 20. Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints?
  None.
- 21. Who have been expelled? None.
- 22. What other personal notation should be made? Mark J. Fields, made effective. John Winterbourne, records corrected to show effective since 1916.
- 23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?
  - Dorr Amerman (3); G. U. Balsey (5); T. J. Hooper (3); T. J. Hamilton (4); W. T. Miller (3); Edward Nolte (1); W. B. Read (1); Adolph Roedel (2); C. W. Simmons (4); J. Q. Vermillion (4); William Walder (5); J. V. Watson (3); J. F. White (4)—13.
- 24. Who are the Retired Ministers?
  - G. H. Adams, J. H. Adams, S. W. Albone, G. P. Avery, Naaman Bascom,
    E. E. Bean, J. G. Bonnell, C. A. Brooks, J. F. Coffman, T. P. Cook,
    J. A. Davis, W. H. Greene, M. D. Hornbeck, J. W. Huston, A. B.
    Hyde, T. C. Iliff, H. F. Knight, Samuel Knupp, J. R. Rader, R. S.
    Rutledge, R. H. Rhodes, J. W. Rose, Robert Sanderson, G. A.
    Spence, C. W. Shaw, S. H. Slutz, B. T. Vincent, S. B. Warner, J. R.
    Wood, Lynderman Wright—30.
- 25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?
  F. T. Krueger, O. K. Maynard, O. W. Auman, E. N. Edgerton, G. M. Henderson.—Reserves, C. H. Inman, F. E. McGuire.
- 26. What is the annual report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?
  (See reports.)
- 27. What is the annual report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?(See reports.)
- 28. What is the Statistical Report? (See the Statistician's report.)
- 28. What is the Conference Treasurer's report? (See the Conference Treasurer's report.)

- 30. (a) What is the aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$63,207.
  - (b) What is the aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer? \$45,154.

- 33. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants? \$15,368, being 90 cents on each "grade point."
- 34. What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?
  \$541.00.
- 35. Where are the preachers stationed? (See list of appointments.)
- 36. Where shall the next Conference be held? Delta.

## VI. Appointments

When two stations are joined, the one NOT in parentheses is the Pastor's Postoffice. Unless otherwise stated, the Postoffice is in Colorado. When unlike the Appointment, the address follows. Numbers appended show the year of the relation held, or of continuous service in that Appointment. For complete address, see Directory.

A copy of this Official Journal, with these Appointments, is deposited with the Clergy Ticket Bureau in Chicago, and the applicant may refer to the proper page without sending other evidence.

Since everyone promoted to the Retired Ministers' Roll is held in honor as Pastor Emeritus of every Charge he ever served, in his retirement he is to be given the place of honored precedence. By law, as a retired soldier of the Cross, he has a seat and vote in the Quarterly Conference where he resides, and the whole Church plans his comfortable support as Pastor Emeritus.

### PASTORS EMERITUS

William H. Greene	Johnson, Florida	25
George H. Adams	.Phoenix, Arizona	27
Naaman Bascom	.Vandalia, Illinois	21
Robert H. Rhodes	Milliken	21
Lynderman Wright	.Sawtelle, California	16
Charles W. Shaw	.Canon City	14
John W. Rose	Dodge City, Kansas	13
Cyrus A. Brooks	.Denver	10
James F. Coffman	. Pierce	9
Joseph G. Bonnell	. Denver	9
John H. Adams	Warrensburg, Missouri, R. F. D	8
Samuel Knupp	. Denver	7
Robert Sanderson	Arvada	7
John R. Wood	. Denver	7
Ammi B. Hyde	.Denver	6
Stephen II. Slutz	. Denver	6
George P. Avery	Fort Collins	5
Edward F., Bean	.Denver	5
Marquis D. Hornbeck	· Avondale	5
Bethuel T. Vincent	Denver	5
John A. Davis	. Denver	4
Jacob R. Rader	. Denver	4
Thomas C. Iliff	. Hollister, Idaho	3
Henry F. Knight	New Plymouth, Idaho	3
Sylvanus B. Warner		3
Samuel W. Albone	.Denver	2
Thomas P. Cook	Riverside, California	2
George A. Spence	. Denver	2
John W. Huston	Sheridan, California	1
Robert S. Rutledge	. Broomfield	1

### COLORADO SPRINGS DISTRICT

### Superintendent, William T. Scott (5), Colorado Springs

Arvada-G. A. Cage (2).

Black Hawk-(N. L. Lamb) (1).

Breckenridge-Josiah Martin (1).

Broomfield—(J. L. Glass) (1).

Burlington-(John A. Moorman) (1).

Calhan-D. M. Scott (2).

Canon City-Guy E. Konkel (2).

Castle Rock—(R. O. Taylor) (1).

Central City-G. S. Parker (1).

Cheyenne Wells-Albert Dennis (1).

Colorado Springs:

Asbury-G. F. Rassweiler (1).

First Church—C. B. Wilcox (2).

Cheyenne Canon-(J. P. Lane) (1).

St. Paul's—C. H. Inman (2).

Trinity-A. L. Chase (2).

Cripple Creek—(J. J. Fleming) (2).

East Colorado Mission—(G. T. Sledge) (2).

Erie—(C. M. Kennaugh) (1).

Florence—A. L. Leech (1).

Golden-N. H. Lee (1).

Goldfield—H. E. Pohl (1).

Hugo—(A. M. Vir Den) (3). Idaho Springs—Benjamin Eitelgeorge (2). Jefferson Avenue—(L. C. Dryden) (2).

Lafayette-(H. G. McCallister) (1).

Louisville—(John Spargo) (1).

Leadville-C. B. Martin (1).

Limon-T. Merion Davis (1).

Littleton- Fred H. Zimmerman (2).

Morrison-P. H. Manning (1).

Oak Creek-W. A. Bowden (1).

Parker—(Clark Cottrell) (1).

Rockvale-(B. Silkwood) (1).

Salida-W. F. Clark (3).

Silver Plume—(C. N. Fish) (3).

Steamboat Springs—(V. C. Soash) (1). Victor—L, W. Coffman (1).

Wet Mountain Valley (P. O. Hillside)—

(Sara Doebler) (1). Wheatridge—F. F. Gibbs (1).

W. E. Bennett, Conference Evangelist (2), Denver.

W. J. Kidd, leave of absence, Pueblo, member Florence Quarterly Conference (1).

Walter Morritt, leave of absence, Colorado Springs, member First Church Quarterly Conference (1).

### DENVER DISTRICT

### Superintendent, Orrin W. Auman, 212 Guardian Trust Bldg., Denver (3)

Argo and Greenwood (1039 W. 47th)—(V. R. Bell) (2).

Asbury-J. T. Bainbridge (1).

Barnum (3501 W. 1st)—(L. M. Kelley) (3). Berkeley (4185 Sheridan Blvd.)—J. G.

Brawn (3). Cameron (656 E. Iowa)—J. R. Edwards (4).

Christ (2121 Gilpin)—R. L. Smith (2).

Clough and Wright—(R. E. Gordon) (2).

Edgewater—Roy H. McVicker (1). Englewood—(Albert Evans) (1).

Epworth (3015 Curtis)—A. N. Chapman (16).

Fifth Avenue (465 Galapago)—C. E. Carroll

Grace and Evans Memorial (1257 Bannock)
- C. O. Thibodeau (3).

Grant Avenue (206 S. Grant)—James Thomas (3).

Harkness Heights (4171 Irving)—(0. A. H. de la Gardie) (3).

Hess (2959 York) -M. L. Bullock (2).

Highlands (3920 W. 32nd)—L. J. Hole (3). Italian (3225 Wyandotte)—F. P. Sulmonetti (8). John Collins (2301 S. Acoma)—Murray Beattie (1).

Merritt Memorial (2406 Federal Blvd.)—H. S. French (4).

Park Hill-W. E. Bell (1).

Coates (1).

St. James-(John Kerr) (1).

Simpson—D. D. Woodworth (1), 3134 Williams.

Trinity (1830 Sherman)—C. L. Mead (4). University Park (2075 S. Columbine)—S. L.

Warren Memorial-O. W. Fifer (5).

Washington Park (1218 S. High)—G. L. Nuckolls (2).

J. A. Beebe, President Iliff School of Theology, University Park Quarterly Conference (3).

H. M. Bettenhausen, at School, member Englewood Quarterly Conference (1).

H. A. Buchtel, Chancellor, University of Denver, University Park Quarterly Conference (18).

W. E. Collett, General Secretary, Colorado Prison Association, Trinity Quarterly Conference (15).

### DENVER DISTRICT-Continued

John Collins, Agent Preachers' Aid Society, John Collins Quarterly Conference (16).

Frost Craft, Secretary Denver University, University Park Quarterly Conference (2).

D. D. Forsyth, Corresponding Secretary, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, University Park Quarterly Conference (3).

J. F. Harris, University Endowment Fund Agent, University Park Quarterly Conference (5).

S. H. Kirkbride, Agency Secretary, American Bible Society, University Park Quarterly Conference (11).

Henry M. Mayo, University Endowment Secretary, Member University Park Quarterly Conference (2).

John Oliver, General Superintendent of the Movement for the Salvation of the Little Child, Member Trinity Quarterly Conference (4).

A. C. Peck, Pastor City Temple Church, Trinity Quarterly Conference (19).

W. D. Phifer, Lecturer on National Prohibi-

tion, Warren Memorial Quarterly Conference (2).

H. M. Pingree, Superintendent of Methodist Episcopal Sunday Schools, Colorado, Wyoming and Utah, University Park Quarterly Conference (4).

A. F. Ragatz, Agency Secretary, American Bible Society, Washington Park Quarterly Conference (5).

J. N. Rodeheaver, Professor, Iliff School of Theology, University Park Quarterly Conference (2).

C. B. Spencer, Editor Central Christian Advocate, Asbury Quarterly Conference (18).

Paul M. Spencer, Pastor Church of Strangers, New York City, Washington Park Quarterly Conference (8).

W. F. Steele, Professor, University of Denver, University Park Quarterly Conference

S. A. Webber, Pastor Community Congregational Church, Green River, Wyoming, Highlands Quarterly Conference (1).

### GRAND JUNCTION DISTRICT

### Superintendent, Ervin N. Edgerton, Grand Junction (2)

Aspen-B. F. Ross (1).

Austin-(James L. Cardiff) (1).

Bethel and Loma (Grand Junction, R. F. D. No. 4)-(W. H. Rose) (5).

Carbondale and Basalt-J. Andrew Dean (2),

Cedaredge-(A. M. Carpenter) (1).

Chama (N. M.) - (W. J. Groat) (2).

Clifton\*-(P. M. Resor) (2).

Cortez-(R. S. Chambers) (1).

Crawford-(A. T. Munger) (1).

DeBeque and Grand Valley-C. D. Basham

Delta-G. F. Klein (2).

Dolores (Ct.) -S. A. Curtis (3).

Durango-W. S. Grim (2).

Eagle and Gypsum-G. W. Cook (1).

Fruita-T. C. Collister (2).

Glenwood Springs-William Pepper (2).

Grand Junction-F. E. McGuire (1).

Gunnison-J. S. Ferris (2).

Hotchkiss-A. B. Horton (2).

Ignacio and Bayfield-(Louis Gale) (2).

Lazear-A. B. Horton (2).

Mack—(E, H. Fleisher) (2).

Meeker-F. H. Rose (2).

Mesa and Plateau City-H. L. Elston (2).

Montrose-J. T. Coulter (3).

Norwood-(G. A. Ditmar) (1).

Olathe-W. W. Speer (1).

Pagosa Springs-W. J. Keeser (1).

Paonia-W. M. Garner (1).

Palisade-L. P. Fagen (1).

Ridgway-J. M. Flynn (3). Rifle-J. A. Hutchins (3).

Uncompangre and Colona-(E. G. Tagg) (2).

White River Ct.-F. H. Rose (1).

E. Burns Martin, by request, Pastor of the Congregational Church at Telluride, Member Paonia Quarterly Conference (3).

W. N. Tobie, Grand Junction, Leave of Absence (1).

### GREELEY DISTRICT

Superintendent, Frank R. Hollenback, 780 Elizabeth, Denver (3)

Akron and Platner—J. F. Johnson (3). Atwood and Willard—I. L. Morgan (2).

Bennett Ct.—(Oscar Hall) (1).
Boulder—C. A. Rowand (1).

Box Elder-O. M. Bowman (1).

Brighton—J. Winterbourne (1).

Brush—R. E. Bird (3).

Byers Ct.—(Alex. Denham) (1).

Eaton-J. M. Eldridge (1).

Evans—(J. R. Jones) (2).

Fleming and New Haven—E. G. Ingraham (3).

Fort Collins—R. H. Forrester (1).

Fort Lupton-G. G. Saywell (3).

Fort Morgan—C. B. Steele (2).

Greeley-G. M. Henderson (2).

Grover—(G. H. Manning) (4). Haxtun—O, E. Barker (1).

Hillrose and Snyder—E. G. Estlow (2).

Holyoke and Enworth—J. M. Dickey (1).

Hudson-Leslie B. Logan (2).

Johnstown—A. Morrison (1).

Julesburg—W. T. Gatley (2).

Keota Ct. (E. Dickson) (1). Kersey -(A. R. Dickson) (1).

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Longmont:

First Church-W. D. Waller (1).

Longmont Ct.-O. G. Konkel (1)

(R. F. D.).

Grace (Rural)—Paul Chapman (1).

Loveland-J. W. Mahood (2).

Lyons and Hygiene-A. W. Coffman (1).

Merino and Messex-(D. E. Shumake) (1).

Otis and Laird-C. E. Harris (1).

Pawnee Ct.—P. D. Griffin (2) (P. O. New Raymer).

Peckham-(A. J. Behner) (2) (2419 S. Fill-

more, Denver).
Pierce—(J. F. Coffman) (9).

Platteville—(L. W. Botkin) (1).

Sedgwick and Ovid-A. C. Thurlow (2).

South Divide—(Fred Johnson) (1).

Sterling-R. H. Ayres (6).

Vernon and Mt. Hope-Fred Varcoe (1).

Walden and North Park-To be supplied.

Wiggins-(H. C. Mecklenburg) (1).

Windsor-F. T. Krueger (1).

Wray-A. W. Rice (4).

Yuma-G. E. Kitchen (1).

Ernest E. Tuck, at School, Greeley Quarterly Conference (2).

### PUEBLO DISTRICT

Superintendent, Charles W. Hancher (2), 824 South Union Avenue, Pueblo, Colorado

Aguilar-J. A. Shepherd (2).

Alamosa—J. A. Dean (1).

Blanca-(W. A. Campbell) (2).

Bristol-(J. E. Mumford) (1).

Center—C. M. Cooper (2).

Cheraw-(R. E. Scarffe) (1).

Del Norte—J. T. Carson (1). Eads—(W. M. Johnson) (4).

Fowler—C. F. Lucas (1).

Fountain-(F. L. Logston) (1).

Goodpasture—(J. R. Millsap) (1).

Granada-(W. H. Guest) (1).

Hartman-W. C. Cronk (1).

Hasty and McClave-Paul A. Shields (1).

Holly-R. R. Adams (1).

La Jara and Bowen—(Rufus D. Webster)

La Junta-A. L. T. Ewert (2).

Lamar-R. N. Smith (1).

Las Animas-Joseph Antle (2).

Manzanola-H. R. Morris (2).

Monte Vista-A. M. Maclean (3).

Mosea-(W. A. Campbell) (3).

Nepesta--(W. E. Morris) (1).

Ordway-F, W. Pimlott (3).

Pleasant Heights-J. A. Large (1) (P. O.

Lamar)

Pueblo:

Bethel-T. B. Tyre (2).

First Church—A. J. Waller (3).

City Missions—A. W. Hall (5) (798 E.

Abriendo).

Northern Avenue-J. H. Ketchum (1).

St. Paul—O. K. Maynard (4).

Rocky Ford-G. H. Stuntz (2).

Sheridan Lake—(Alexander Taylor) (2).

Springfield—(R. Stainforth) (1).

Stonington-(F. Ridley Guy) (1) (P. O.

Clyde).

Sugar City-E. S. Burr (1).

Swink-L, W. Coffman (1).

Trinidad-C. W. Huett (2).

Vineland and Avondale-John Brand (1) (P.

O. Pueblo, R. F. D.).

Wiley-J. H. McDonald (3).

### SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS IN MISSION CONFERENCES

John J. Lace, Superintendent Utah Mission Christian R. Garver-Utah (2). William H, Calfee-Idaho (2). Henry J. Catterall-Utah (2).

Chester L. Marsh-Utah (1). Ray W. Smith-Utah (1). Thomas J. Tramel-Utah (1).

### SOMETIME MEMBERS ON THE EPISCOPAL BENCH

EARL CRANSTON	1878-	Bishop	1896
DAVID H. MOORE (Deceased)	1882-1890	Bishop	1900
WM. F. McDOWELL	1890-1901	Bishop	1904
ROBERT McINTYRE (Deceased).	1891-1896	Bishop	1908

# VII. Journal of Proceedings

### FIRST DAY, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1917

Opening—The Colorado Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its fifty-fifth annual session at nine o'clock a.m., Bishop Francis J. McConnell in the chair. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was celebrated by the Bishop, assisted by the District Superintendents and W. F. Clark, pastor in charge.

Addresses of Welcome were given by District Superintendent W. T. Scott, Dr. G. W. Larimer, in behalf of Mayor C. F. Johnson, and by Miss Lizabeth A. Wells, chairman Reception Committee. After fittingly responding to the addresses, the Bishop requested the Secretary to call the Conference Roll.

Greetings From Absentees were delivered to Conference by various members and the Secretary was requested to tender the best wishes of Conference to those who are detained on account of illness.

Deceased Members—The names of H. L. Beardsley and F. W. Imboden were called while the Conference stood in silence. After brief mention of their work was made by the Secretary, the Conference was led in prayer by C. B. Wilcox.

A. F. Ragatz was nominated by S. H. Kirkbride and elected Secretary of the Conference. He appointed G. L. Nuckolls and F. Zimmerman as Journalist Assistants and W. F. Steele as Assistant for the Annuitants' Record.

As Statistician, John Collins was named and elected for the twentieth year. As Assistants he named Murray Beattie, J. T. Bainbridge, G. W. Cook, J. McDonald and O. M. Bowman.

As Treasurer, E. G. Ingraham was named and elected. As Assistants he named C. M. Cooper, A. W. Hall, J. G. Brawn, John Winterbourne, O. G. Konkel and E. G. Estlow.

As Fare Equalizer, J. W. Mahood was elected, and named as Assistants G. E. Kitchen, J. H. Ketchum, J. T. Coulter, H. S. French.

J. R. Rader was elected Postmaster for the thirtieth year.

The Bar of the Conference was designated to include the first nine pews of the auditorium.

Authority to Pay a printing bill of seven dollars (\$7.00) was, on motion of G. E. Konkel, given to Fare Equalizer J. W. Mahood.

The Printed Program, with few exceptions, was adopted as the official program.

Committee on Platform Privileges—By motion of A. L. Chase, W. T. Scott and W. F. Clark were elected as Committee on Courtesies of the floor.

Standing Committees for this session of Conference, as printed on last page of program, were, by motion of F. R. Hollenback, accepted by Conference.

Nominations for the 1920 class of Conference Relations Board were submitted by F. R. Hollenback, said nominations to include two men from each District. C. M. Cooper, C. W. Huett, C. B. Wilcox, G. E. Konkel, G. F. Klein, J. Andrew Dean, R. H. Ayres, G. M. Henderson, Frost Craft and C. L. Mead were named. The election was ordered to proceed by ballot for the selection of four of the men named.

A Motion by C. L. Mead was adopted requesting the Bishop to name a committee to draft suitable resolutions concerning the relation of the church to the nation. The Bishop named C. L. Mead as chairman, with privilege to add other names to the committee.

A Committee of Inquiry into the case of S. G. Dorey was suggested by J. J. Lace, and by common consent the Bishop named the following men: C. O. Thibodeau, A. L. Chase, J. F. Harris, G. W. Cage and F. E. McGuire.

The Following Transfers were announced: Transferred into Conference, Lester P. Fagen, Des Moines; Edward S. Burr, Nebraska; Arthur L. Leech, Maine, and Thomas J. Tramel, Wyoming State. Transferred out, George R. McDowell, Nebraska; Hachiro Shirato, Japanese Methodist Church; Homer B. Hix, Wyoming State; Mark J. Fields, Wyoming State; John P. Newall, Des Moines; William Zabilka, Nebraska; Ivor G. Hyndman, Wisconsin.

Beth-El Hospital—The following names were added to the committee: C. A. Rowand, C. L. Mead and O. W. Fifer.

Adjournment—After announcements and call of committees, Conference adjourned to meet at four o'clock p. m., with the benediction by Bishop McConnell.

## FOUR O'CLOCK SESSION, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, AUG. 29, 1917

Conference Called to Order at four o'clock, Bishop McConnell in the chair.

The Election Results for members of the Conference Relations Board were announced by J. R. Edwards as follows: Elected to the class of 1920, C. B. Wilcox, C. L. Mead, R. H. Ayres and Guy E. Konkel.

Conference Claimants' Fund—J. R. Edwards made an informal report, introducing the matter of the Conference Claimants' Fund and stating the work that had been done in Denver preparatory to the campaign to raise one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000).

A Substitute Program for the raising of the full annuitants' claim of Conference Claimants within the next three years was presented by W. F. Steele. (See resolution under Miscellaneous Reports and Resolutions.)

A Motion to Reconsider the advisability of putting on a campaign to raise the Conference Claimants' Fund was presented by J. A. McClelland and adopted by vote of Conference.

A Motion by S. H. Kirkbride was adopted, determining that this was an inopportune time to conduct a campaign for the raising of the Conference Claimants' Fund.

A Motion to Refer the resolution of W. F. Steele and motion of J. J. Lace to the Cabinet, with request that they bring in their recommendation at the Thursday Morning Session, was adopted.

Conference Adjourned by expiration of time with the benediction by the Bishop.

### SECOND DAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1917

Devotional Exercises were conducted by A. N. Chapman, from eightforty-five to nine o'clock, after which a sermon was preached by O. W. Fifer.

The Bishop Took the Chair at nine-thirty and called for the reading of the Journal of the preceding day. After several corrections had been made the Journal was adopted as read.

Question No. 14 was taken up and the name of District Superintendent W. T. Scott was called, his character passed and he given opportunity to read his report of the Colorado Springs District. The report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See report elsewhere.)

The Men of the Colorado Springs District were called, their character passed and questioned as to whether they had presented all of the benevolences. All answered in the affirmative.

Under Question No. 14, the name of O. W. Auman, Superintendent of Denver District, was called, his character passed and he given opportunity to read his report of the Denver District. The report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See report elsewhere.)

The Men of the Denver District were called, their character passed and, questioned as to whether they had presented all the benevolences, all answered in the affirmative.

Under Question No. 14, the name of Superintendent E. N. Edgerton was called, his character passed and he given opportunity to read his report of the Grand Junction District. The report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See report elsewhere.)

The Men of the Grand Junction District were called, their character passed and, questioned as to whether they had presented all the benevolences, all answered in the affirmative.

Under Question No. 14, the name of Superintendent F. R. Hollenback was called, his character passed and he given opportunity to read his report of the Greeley District. The report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See report elsewhere.)

The Men of the Greeley District were called, their character passed and, questioned as to whether they had presented all the benevolences, all answered in the affirmative.

Question No. 14 was taken up and the name of Superintendent C. W. Hancher was called, his character passed and he given opportunity to read his report of the Pueblo District. The report was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes. (See report elsewhere.)

The Men of the Pueblo District Were Called, their character passed and, questioned as to whether they had presented all the benevolences, all answered in the affirmative.

The Cabinet Reported their recommendation concerning the raising of the Conference Claimants' Fund, F. R. Hollenback submitting a resolution as substitute for the one presented by W. F. Steele at the previous session. (See resolution under Miscellaneous Reports and Resolutions.)

By Previous Agreement, W. F. Steele was granted the floor and spoke in favor of his resolution.

Rev. Earl R. Rice, Endowment Fund Secretary of the Detroit Conference, representing the Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced and spoke briefly concerning this subject.

The Two Resolutions were plainly stated by the Bishop and the Conference requested to vote by the show of hands, resulting in twenty-three votes for the W. F. Steele resolution and sixty-two votes for the Cabinet resolution.

Rev. C. E. Mogg, Superintendent of the Beth-El Hospital of Colorado Springs, was introduced and reported on the work of that institution. On motion of C. A. Rowand, the report was referred to the proper committee.

Further Roll Call of Conference was, on motion of G. E. Konkel, dispensed with and the Secretary was requested to mark present those who had arrived since Conference convened.

Question No. 19 was called and Brothers Joseph S. Hurlburt and Fred C. Norcross were permitted to withdraw, by their own request, from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The Secretary was instructed to properly indorse their credentials and return the same to them, as requested.

A New Plan for the publication of the Conference Minutes was presented by Secretary Ragatz and adopted by the Conference. (See resolution under Miscellaneous Reports and Resolutions.)

The Chicago Board of Conference Claimants, through Dr. Earl R. Rice, presented a check for \$78 to the Colorado Conference. The check was received and ordered indorsed by the Secretary and turned over to the Treasurer.

A Memorial to the General Conference, recommending certain changes in paragraphs 49, 50, 52, 53 and 511 of the Discipline, having to do with

the relation of the church to the child, was presented by J. A. Bebee. On motion, it was referred to a special committee to be appointed by the Bishop—G. F. Rossweiler, A. N. Chapman, R. L. Smith.

The Committee on Publication of Conference Minutes was, by motion of J. R. Edwards, ordered to consist of the Conference Secretary and Assistants.

Adjournment—After announcing several changes in program and calls of committees, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

### THIRD DAY, FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1917

Devotional Exercises were conducted by Roy L. Smith, with sermon by C. L. Mead, from eight-thirty to nine-fifteen a. m.

The Business Session opened at nine-fifteen with Bishop McConnell in the chair.

**Executive Session**—On motion of S. H. Kirkbride, Conference voted to go into executive session.

Edward Noite was, by vote of the Conference, placed on the Supernumerary List.

John Winterbourne was, on recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, made effective.

John W. Huston was, on recommendation of Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, retired.

Robert S. Rutledge was, on recommendation of Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, retired.

George S. Parker was, on recommendation of Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, made effective.

J. Q. Vermillion, on recommendation of Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, was continued in the Supernumerary relation for the fourth year.

Graduated From the Course of Study were the following: James G. Brawn, William J. Keeser, Henry J. Catterall, Ozra G. Konkel, Ernest E. Tuck, Benjamin F. Eitelgeorge, Arthur W. Hall, Edward G. Ingraham, James McDonald, William Pepper, Ira L. Morgan and Fred H. Zimmerman.

Elders' Orders were granted to J. G. Brawn, W. J. Keeser, H. J. Catterall, O. G. Konkel, B. Eitelgeorge, A. W. Hall, E. G. Ingraham, Fred H. Zimmerman, J. McDonald and I. L Morgan, the latter under Seminary Rule, and E. E. Tuck to receive ordination at the New England Conference.

John H. Ketchum, on recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, was continued in studies of fourth year with requirement that he bring up studies in the third year.

Fred Varcoe was continued in studies of the fourth year.

Elders' Orders were granted to Henry J. Catterall, Ozra G. Konkel

and William J. Keezer, all of whom had previously graduated from the course of study.

Report of Special Committee in the case of S. G. Dorey was made by C. O. Thibodeau, chairman. After general discussion, by motion of J. J. Lace, which was seconded by C. W. Hancher, his character was not passed, and according to Disciplinary requirements, his case was referred for investigation to his District Superintendent.

S. G. Dorey—A motion prevailed that it is the sense of the Conference that S. G. Dorey be left without an appointment.

Admitted on Trial—On recommendation of Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, the following were admitted on trial: Murray Beattie, William Bowden, Paul H. Chapman, Albert R. Dennis, James J. Fleming, Leslie B. Logan, John P. Newell, Maurice L. Bullock and Roy H. McVicker.

The Transfer of M. L. Bullock from Idaho and Roy H. McVicker from N. W. Iowa was announced and, on recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations, they were granted Deacon's Orders under the Seminary Rule and advanced to third year's studies.

The Name of C. O. Jennings was called and, on motion of O. K. Maynard, Conference adopted the recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations that he be not received on trial.

Ceil D. Basham was passed into the studies of the fourth year, having been previously admitted into full membership.

Joseph N. Rodeheaver was passed to the studies of the second year.

John L. Spargo and Delmar D. Woodworth were continued in the studies of the first year.

Frank Palmer, in the studies of the first year, was by action of Conference, discontinued.

Ira L. Morgan was elected to Elder's Orders under the Seminary Rule.

Admitted Into Full Membership and elected to Deacon's Orders: Stanley A. Curtis, William M. Garner and Claude B. Martin. Under the Seminary Rule: Roy H. McVicker and Maurice L. Bullock.

The Transfer of Ellis Victor Kuhns from the N. W. Iowa Conference was announced. He was granted Deacon's and Elder's Orders under the Missionary Rule, after which he was to be transferred back to the N. W. Iowa Conference.

- Rev. D. D. Forsyth, D.D., General Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, was introduced and spoke on the work of the Board.
- C. L. Mead read the resolution on the relation of the church to the nation. The resolution was adopted and ordered printed. (See resolution.)

Chaplain C. E. Hayes of the U. S. Navy was introduced and addressed the Conference.

- C. L. Mead presented a resolution concerning the work of the Anti-Cigarette League. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Temperance and Public Morals,
- W. F. Clark presented a resolution directing the Secretary to send a message of sympathy to Bishop Bashford. It was so ordered and message was sent.

The Secretary reported that, according to the action taken at the last Conference session, he had communicated with fifty Conference Secretaries concerning their methods of conducting the memorial services. The report was ordered turned over to the Committee on Memoirs.

Adjournment—After announcements and call of committees, Conference adjourned with benediction by C. B. Wilcox.

# FOURTH DAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1917 MORNING SESSION

Devotional Services were conducted by Guy E. Konkel, with sermon by James A. Beebe.

The Business Session opened at nine-fifteen with Bishop McConnell in the chair.

The Minutes for the two preceding sessions were read and approved.

Mark J. Fields was, on recommendation of the Board of Conference
Relations and by vote of the Conference, placed on the Effective List. His
transfer to the Wyoming State Conference was announced.

A Draft for two thousand nine hundred thirty-six dollars (\$2,936) from the Book Concern was presented by the Bishop, ordered indorsed by the Secretary and surrendered to the Board of Conference Stewards.

Rev. E. R. Rice, D.D., representing the Board of Conference Claimants, addressed the Conference.

Conference Adjourned by common consent and convened in session of the annual meeting of the Preachers' Aid Society of the Colorado Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with Bishop McConnell acting as chairman pro tem.

An Estimating Committee to fix the salary of the Secretary of the Society was ordered appointed, said committee to consist of one preacher in the effective relation, one serving under special appointment and one in the retired relation. C. B. Wilcox, W. F. Steele and J. G. Bonnell were appointed.

J. A. Beebe was appointed to give the annual address to the Preachers' Aid Society at the next session of Conference.

Election of Officers—On nomination of John Collins and order of members present, the Secretary was instructed to cast a ballot electing the following men:

Trustees of the Preachers' Aid Society, to serve through 1920—W. F. Steele, F. R. Hollenback, J. J. Flint. To fill vacancy caused by resignation

of Guy E. Konkel in class of 1919, L. J. Hole. As Stewards, the above to serve as stated. To serve through 1919: O. M. Bowman, W. D. Waller. To fill the vacancy caused by resignation of O. K. Maynard and serve through 1918: A. J. Waller.

Jubilee Funds of the Preachers' Aid Society were ordered classified and dispersed according to resolution adopted. (See resolution.)

An Amendment changing the Constitution of the Preachers' Aid Society, as follows, was adopted:

"Adopted by action of Annual Meeting of Preachers' Aid Society, an Amendment to Constitution.—By adding to Article 5, Section 2, after the word 'Conference' in line 2, the words 'or patrons'; making the section read: 'It shall be the duty of every member holding a special or District appointment to contribute to the Conference or Patrons' Permanent Fund at or before each Annual Session of the Conference a sum equal, or at least, one per cent of the support received for serving such appointment, less house rent and District traveling expenses."

Report of Stewards was given by John Collins and the budget of \$26,600 was adopted by vote of members.

Adjournment—By vote of members, the annual session of the Preachers' Aid Society adjourned and Conference session was resumed.

. H. M. Pingree presented a resolution, which was seconded by R. H. Forrester, providing a plan for the presentation of the work of Connectional and Authorized Boards on alternate years. O. W. Auman, C. L. Mead and H. M. Pingree were appointed on this committee. (See resolution elsewhere.)

The Peniel Trust Association's Annual Report was presented by F. R. Hollenback and adopted by vote of Conference. (See report.)

Election—By order of the Conference, the Secretary cast the ballot electing Isaac J. Keator, O. W. Auman and F. R. Hollenback as trustees of the Peniel Trust Association for the ensuing year.

Bishop Earl Cranston sent greetings to the Conference, which were read by the Secretary, who was directed to make suitable reply.

The Book Committee report was read by the Secretary and adopted by the Conference.

G. G. Saywell was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Methodist Review.

Mr. Hoover, director of the Commission on Food Conservation of the United States, sent a communication to the Conference through Bishop McConnell, requesting the co-operation of our Colorado Methodist constituency in the matter of food conservation. On motion of O. W. Auman, Conference ordered that the District Superintendents should obtain the desired information and report to the Bishop, who would forward same to Washington, D. C. An Afternoon Session was ordered by vote of Conference to convene at two-thirty p. m.

Adjournment of This Session of Conference was ordered for Monday at eleven-thirty a. m.

Rev. Oscar Huddleston, D.D., representing the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced and addressed Conference.

A Child Welfare Committee was appointed by the chair, consisting of G. F. Rassweiler, A. N. Chapman and R. L. Smith.

Rev. L. C. Beasley, D.D., fraternal delegate from the Denver Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was introduced and addressed the Conference in a most delightful manner.

The Continuation of Fraternal Relations was provided for by a motion of W. F. Steele, which provided that the Bishop should appoint a delegate from this Conference, to bear our greetings to the Denver Conference of the Methodist Church, South, at their next Annual Session. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Henry A. Wood was passed to the third year's studies and, on recommendation of the Board of Conference Relations and vote of Conference, granted Deacon's Orders.

Rev. Franklin Ream, D.D., of the Board of Education, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The Class for Admission to full membership was called by the Bishop. William M. Garner, Stanley A. Curtis, Maurice Bullock, Claude B. Martin and Henry A. Wood answered the Disciplinary questions and were, by vote of Conference, admitted into full membership.

E. T. Albertson, State Secretary of the International Sunday School Association, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Adjournment—After announcements and call of committees, Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. A. Beebe.

# FOURTH DAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1917 AFTERNOON SESSION

Conference Convened at 2:30 p.m. with O. K. Maynard in the chair. After devotional services conducted by J. T. Coulter, the following reports were presented and adopted by vote of Conference: American Bible Society, Epworth League, District Conference Records, Conference Board of Deaconesses, Freedman's Aid Society, Relation of Church to Nation, W. H. M. S., W. F. M. S. (For text of reports see reports.)

Fare Equalizer J. W. Mahood was, on motion of Guy E. Konkel, authorized to pay the bill of expense incurred by our Fraternal delegate in his visit to the Denver Conference of the M. E. Church, South.

The Beth-El Hospital Report was read and, on motion of F. T. Krueger, laid on the table until Monday morning.

Question No. 36, "Where shall the next Conference be held?" was taken up and the following invitations were given: Invitation to Delta, by G. F. Klein; Loveland, by J. W. Mahood. When the vote was taken Delta received 56 and Loveland 25. The invitation from Delta was then unanimously accepted. A vote of thanks was extended the church and people of Loveland for their invitation.

Conference Adjourned with benediction by C. B. Spencer.

### FIFTH DAY, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1917

Devotional Services were conducted from 8:30 to 8:45 a.m. by Bishop McConnell, after which the morning session opened.

The Minutes of Saturday's morning and afternoon sessions were read and approved.

Conference Minutes. On motion of G. E. Kitchen the Conference voted to make the printed minutes the Official Journal.

The Askings of the Cabinet for the Colorado Conference were, on motion of F. T. Krueger, approved.

Beth-El Hospital report was ordered taken from the table. G. F. Rassweiler moved that the clause levying an additional assessment of ten cents per member be stricken from the report. Thus amended, the report was adopted. (See report.)

The Educational Report was presented by A. J. Waller. The first section, relating to the University of Denver, was adopted. (See report.)

The second section made nominations for the Board of Trustees and various University Committees. All nominations were approved and the Secretary ordered to cast a ballot for their election. (See organization.)

The third section, relating to the Iliff School of Theology, was read and adopted. (See report.)  $\cdot$ 

The report as a whole was then adopted.

Dr. Patrick Maveety, Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The 1918 Committees. On motion of F. R. Hollenback, Conference authorized the Bishop and the Cabinet to appoint the Committees to serve through the session of 1918.

The Sale of Churches. On motion of F. R. Hollenback, Conference authorized the sale of our church property located at Berthoud, Welby and Pleasant Valley. (See report.)

Belated Reports. On motion of John Brand, Conference authorized the Secretary to print in the Minutes, belated reports and to edit and condense them as might be necessary.

A Surplus in the hands of the Fare Equalizer was on the motion of J. W. Mahood ordered placed to next year's credit.

The Hiff Apportionment of \$800.00 was on motion of R. E. Bird, and by consent of J. A. Beebe, in behalf of the Hiff School, and Frost Craft

for the University of Denver, ordered added to the regular Educational budget, and remitted to the University for proper division.

Hiff Trustees. On motion of F. R. Hollenback, Conference ordered the Secretary to cast a ballot electing as Trustees of the Hiff School of Theology, H. M. Porter, William D. Downs, Bethuel T. Vincent, Edward L. Shannon, Louise Hiff, S. B. Warner, F. J. McConnell, Chas. L. Mead.

- H. M. Pingree, Superintendent of Methodist Sunday Schools in Colorado, Wyoming and Utah, addressed the Conference.
- A. F. Ragatz, Secretary, Western Agency, American Bible Society, addressed the Conference on the work of the Society.

Resolutions and Reports from the following Committees were read and adopted (see reports): Sunday Schools, Relation of the Child to the Church, Foreign Missions, Home Missions and Church Extension, The Movement for the Salvation of the Little Child, Statistical Report, Treasurer's Report, Fare Equalizer.

Complimentary Resolutions as follows were presented by A. N. Chapman:

"At the close of one of the most delightful sessions of our Conference, we desire to express our deep gratitude to the Mayor, the Commercial Club, the Pastor, Rev. Wm. Clark, to those who have opened their homes to us, and to all the other people of Salida, who have ministered to our comfort and pleasure during our brief stay in this 'Gem of the Rockies.'

"The unique brotherly and statesmanlike manner in which our own Bishop Francis J. McConnell has conducted the affairs of the Conference, together with the deeply spiritual tone and world vision of his masterly addresses, have added greatly to the interest and inspiration of our gathering. We rejoice that he is still our resident Bishop and hope that he may so remain for many years to come.

"We would also express our deep appreciation of the exceptionally fine addresses of Drs. Chas. L. Mead, O. W. Fifer and Jas. A. Beebe.

"We rejoice that it has been possible for Dr. D. D. Forsyth, the member of our Conference, who has been honored by the General Conference with the office of Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, to be with us again this year and thrill our hearts with the story of the magnificent work the Board is doing under his direction."

S. A. Webber's Appointment as pastor of the Congregational Community Church of Green River, Wyoming, was authorized by Conference.

Special Appointments. By vote of Conference all special appointments were authorized.

W. E. Bennett, Conference Evangelist, was highly commended by the Bishop for his work and reappointed for the ensuing year.

As Conference Examiners, J. A. Beebe and F. E. McGuire were added to the Board with the approval of Conference.

Fare Equalization. On motion of G. F. Rassweiler, Deaconesses were included in equalization of fares on the same basis as Retired Ministers.

Conference Minutes for the morning session, with such additions as might be made necessary, were approved without reading.

Adjournment sine die of the Fifty-fifth Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church was ordered after the reading of the appointments and the benediction by Bishop McConnell.

FRANCIS J. McCONNELL,

President.

A. F. RAGATZ, Secretary.

This certifies that in Salida, Colorado, on Sunday, September 2, 1917, in accordance with the Discipline and Ritual of the Methodist Episcopal Church, I ordained Maurice L. Bullock, Stanley A. Curtis, William M. Garver, Ellis V. Kuhns, Claude B. Martin, Roy H. McVicker and Henry A. Wood as Deacons.

This also certifies that at the same place and on the same day, assisted by several Elders, I ordained James G. Brawn, Henry J. Catterall, James McDonald, Benjamin Eitelgeorge, William J. Groat, Arthur W. Hall, Edward G. Ingraham, Ozra G. Konkel, William J. Keeser, Ellis V. Kuhns, Ira L. Morgan, and Fred H. Zimmerman as Elders.

FRANCIS J. McCONNELL.

### ATTEST OF MINUTES

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct report of the proceedings of the fifty-fifth session of the Colorado Annual Conference.

(Signed)

FRANCIS J. McCONNELL,

President.

A. F. RAGATZ,
Secretary.

### PUBLIC MEETINGS

Tuesday, August 28

7:45 P. M. Lecture, "Abraham Lincoln," Charles L. Mead, D.D.

Wednesday, August 29

2:00 P.M. Social Service Hour.

Address, Bishop F. J. McConnell.

Dr. O. W. Auman, presiding.

7:45 P. M. Temperance Night.

Address, Rev. A. J. Finch, Superintendent Colorado Anti-Saloon League, and Dr. O. W. Fifer, representing the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals.

### Thursday, August 30

2:00 P. M. Social Service Hour.

Address, Bishop F. J. McConnell.

Dr. O. W. Fifer, presiding.

5:30 P.M. Preachers' Wives' Banquet.

7:00 P. M. Patriotic Mass Meeting.

Address, Charles L. Mead, D.D.

8:15 P.M. Lecture, "Mexico," Bishop F. J. McConnell.

### Friday, August 31

2:00 P.M. Anniversary of Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies.

Addresses by Dr. D. D. Forsyth and Bishop F. J. McConnell. Mrs. A. C. Peok and Mrs. D. B. Wilson, presiding.

7:45 P.M. Anniversary of Board of Education.

Address, Rev. G. Franklin Ream, D.D., of New York City.

Dr. James F. Harris, presiding.

S:30 P. M. Anniversary, American Bible Society. Address, Chancellor Henry A. Buchtel. Dr. Arthur F. Ragatz, presiding.

### Saturday, September 1

2:00 P.M. Social Service Hour.

Address, Bishop F. J. McConnell.

President James A. Beebe, presiding.

6:00 P.M. University of Denver Banquet.

### Sunday, September 2

8:45 A. M. Love Feast.

10:15 A.M. Morning Worship.

Sermon by Bishop McConnell.

2:00 P. M. Ordination Services and Consecration of Deaconesses.

Memorial Service.

7:30 P.M. Anniversary of Freedmen's Aid Society.

Address, Rev. P. J. Maveety, D.D.

Anniversary, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

Address, Rev. D. D. Forsyth, D.D.

Dr. J. J. Lace, presiding.

# VIII. Reports

## (A) REPORTS OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

### COLORADO SPRINGS DISTRICT

The story of the Colorado Springs District for the past year may be summarized in three words, upsetments, adjustments, and work. If victory may be added as another term, and from the reports this seems to be true, then the miraculous is pretty nearly in evidence. The appointments of last year had not been read over one hour when pastoral changes began on the Colorado Springs District, and have continued with little show of abatement up to the present time. The changes and new appointments during the year have been seventeen out of a total of forty charges. The old assumption that preachers in the Methodist Church are appointed for a year has received a formidable jolt, but the old question as to whether the district superintendent has ever anything to do which is worth while, is on the Colorado Springs District still a debatable question until we get a little more light on the results of this subepiscopal authority in moying about the men of the district.

A serious condition has prevailed which has been effected by the war. Eighty-five per cent of the pastoral support, and perhaps a larger per cent of the benevolences, have come from the towns and communities which have been supported by the wage-earning classes with a sprinkling of the truck gardening communities included in this percentage. This has meant that practically all of the support has come from people who have seen the cost of living go up by leaps and bounds, while wages have been but slightly increased or have remained stationary. The churches have felt the burdens keenly, and it seems that there must be retrenchment in a number of the churches. The small percentage of dry farmers will, however, show prosperity.

But with all these unprecedented inter-conference changes which have broken into the pastoral relations, combined with the stringency in four-fifths of all the charges, there seems to be progress. The pastors have looked after their benevolences with a sacrificial spirit which has been heroic. From all the facts obtainable at the time this report was made, the district should report progress over last year, barring a \$5,000 subscription which was then credited to the Woman's Home Missionary Society, and which was not duplicated this year.

Mrs. C. O. Marsh, the wife of the pastor at Erie, died shortly after

Conference, and later Brother Marsh himself left for Utah. This was the only death in any parsonage during the year. W. B. Read was compelled to leave Idaho Springs and seek a more western climate for his health. Benjamin Eitelgeorge has acceptably filled out the year. Brother J. H. Boner, who has done such excellent work at Hugo and Burlington, feels the need of rest for a year. R. S. Rutledge came back from Kansas and was stationed at Broomfield. While there he met with a serious accident, being run down by an automobilist. His condition is such that he may be compelled to take a retired relation.

We have established a new work at Boyero in the dry farming community, and a new church will be dedicated the first Sunday following the close of this Conference. The beginning of a great structure at Burlington was begun by J. H. Boner, which when completed will be the most spacious church property in all our dry land section.

The restricted space of these reports makes it impossible to speak of the brethren, all of whom have rendered capable and conscientious service. A passing remark concerning the new men of the district appointed at the last Conference may not be inappropriate. Guy E. Konkel, with his versatile and winning ways, has done a fine work at Canon City. His report will show remarkable advances along all lines. Dr. Wilcox of First Church, Colorado Springs, came back to a pastorate he had served for a period of nine years. It is but fair to say that with all the former reputation for pulpit and pastoral work, that he has never quite equaled the work which he has done during the past year, and there has been sent to this Conference an unanimous request that he be returned again to the work. C. H. Inman put his great shoulders under a tremendous load at St. Paul's, and we believe that his record for work cannot be excelled by that of any other man in the Conference this past year, and his work has been of an eminently successful kind. Fred Zimmerman of Littleton has put a great deal of enthusiasm among a people who have shown themselves to be naturally conservative. There is no church in the district which is now run on a more businesslike basis. The salary next year will be \$1,200 and house—a leap from \$750 and house of the past year.

There is no longer any Colorado City Church. The church has been added to the list of the Colorado Springs churches by the absorption of Colorado City into Colorado Springs, and the church will hereafter be known by the name of Trinity. The pastor, A. L. Chase, has had a remarkable year. Every branch of the church has been flourishing under his pastorate and he brings a fine report to Conference.

In these troublous war times the District Superintendent has had two leading desires: First, that the church may keep its evangelistic fervor in winning men; and, second, that it should remember its connectional ties and maintain its sense of helpfulness with all men everywhere. I believe that the brethren of the district have had these two

desires in a measure at least equaling that of the District Superintendent, and the reports will show that with all of the distressful conditions there has been everywhere an uplifted standard and a passionate appeal for men to be reconciled to God, and then in turn to hold out a hand of help to the world.

W. T. SCOTT.

#### DENVER DISTRICT

In reporting the work of the Denver District at the close of this, another Conference year, we believe that we can register some distinct advance in the affairs of the Kingdom through the instrumentality and loyal service of the pastors and churches of the district. Greater loyalty to district and connectional program than that which has been rendered by the pastors of the Denver District could not be asked for, and the churches have been cordial and faithful to all the suggestions and instructions of the church.

Special Committees on Efficiency and Program were appointed in each church in the district before the opening of the Conference year, which reported at the first Quarterly Conference. Each of these committees made a careful survey of the needs and opportunities of church and community and was instrumental in the development of an intelligent and effective approach to the community task of the church.

In each of these local church programs the instruction and systematic education of the church and community in the higher constructive issues of the Kingdom were emphasized. The actual work of religious education has therefore increased in kind and efficiency throughout the year.

A vigorous and devout campaign of personal evangelism was entered into heartily by all the churches of the district from January 1st to Easter Day, which resulted in the following totals:

Total accessions, 1,212. Of these, 796 were received from the Sunday Schools; 444 were under 16 years of age; 137 were between the ages of 16 and 20; 584 were over 20 years of age; 8,259 names appeared on the Constituency Roll of all of the churches. Had we been efficient enough to have reached the last person on these Constituency Rolls, we would have more than doubled the entire membership of the district. This work was accomplished by the pastors with the help of 823 enlisted personal workers. All of the churches had some evangelistic organization, and most of them were very effective. It is believed that in another year we shall know better how to undertake this most important task.

A three weeks' campaign on Christian stewardship was carried out in the early part of the year and resulted in an increased interest in this all-important phase of Christian life.

A District Parish Abroad has been arranged for our district through the Foreign Board and includes the support of the East Konju District, Korea (including the salary of the Superintendent, Rev. F. E. C. Williams), the educational work in Seoul, Korea (including the salary of O. A. Weller), the support by Grant Avenue Church of Professor E. C. Jones, President of the Union Christian University at Foochow, China,—a total of \$5,150, which sum our district hopes to reach soon in its giving to foreign missions. Both of these young men in Korea whose support the district has undertaken are Denver young men and they and their wives have gone out from two of our Denver churches. Grant Avenue Church was much delighted with a week's visit during the year from Prof. E. C. Jones, its pastor abroad, together with one of the Chinese students from the Anglo-Chinese College at Foochow.

The Denver District sent a larger delegation than ever before to the Missionary Education Movement Conference at Estes Park and contributed its due quota to the total of 79 Methodist delegates in attendance on the Conference. I am glad to report a much enlarged interest and delegation from all of the districts of the Colorado Conference.

Most of the churches of the Denver District have become members of the Inter-Church Council of the city and are contributing much to the success of this united movement.

War Relief Committees have been appointed in all our churches and much has been accomplished in the way of service and contributions by all of the churches of the district.

Two building enterprises have been under way during the year. Washington Park will soon be ready to break ground and Park Hill has sufficient cash in the bank to begin a building enterprise as soon as prices of material will warrant.

Thirteen of the churches of the district have already made their "every member canvass" and have the amount of their budgets pledged for next year.

#### New Work

The work at People's Chapel is to be turned over to the Deaconess Settlement for the ensuing Conference year and the work at St. James Church, which has been revived during the past Conference year, is to be made the center of a circuit for that part of the city.

Trinity Church has rendered invaluable service in the reorganization of the St. James Sunday School under the direction of Claude W. Blake, as Superintendent, with other consecrated workers who have been his assistants. Rev. W. H. Witter of the Illinois Conference has been the pastor during eleven months of the past Conference year.

Edgewater, which has been a part of the Merritt Memorial Circuit, has been given a resident pastor and will constitute a station for the ensuing year. Already constructive work has been begun by the new pastor, Roy H. McVicker, and the development of a well-organized community church is well under way.

## The Charges

Argo and Globeville have had a good year of steady progress under the leadership of V. R. Bell of the Nebraska Conference.

Asbury has had a good year under the versatile direction of G. F. Rassweiler.

Barnum is a growing church and invites the return of its pastor, L. M. Kelley, a student pastor of the Wyoming State Conference, at an increased salary.

Berkeley Church has had a great year. Extensive improvements on church and parsonage properties this year, following the payment of the old debt last year, together with the steady advance of the life and membership of the church, marks the leadership of J. G. Brawn.

The third year of the pastorate of J. R. Edwards at Cameron Church shows the gradual and persistent fulfillment of large plans well laid at the very beginning of the pastorate.

R. L. Smith has revealed a fine talent for wise building in a strong year's work at Christ Church.

Clough and Wright Churches have shown new signs of life under the guidance of R. E. Gordon of the Kansas Conference.

H. M. Bettenhousen has closed his pastorate at Englewood and gone to Chicago University for additional post-graduate work.

Epworth Church continues its firm program of abundant and Christlike service to the people of its community, and A. N. Chapman is still its pastor.

The closing of the second year of C. E. Carroll's pastorate at Fifth Avenue witnessed an advance in all departments of the work.

Grace Church has enlarged program, new vision and increasing accomplishment under the untiring leadership of C. O. Thibodeau.

Grant Avenue Church, under the indomitable leadership of James Thomas, was one of the three debt-paying churches of the district this year and is developing an ever-enlarging program of activities.

Harkness Heights has made improvement in church property and shows vitality in all forms of church life. O. A. H. de la Gardie of the Illinois Conference is the pastor.

M. L. Bullock closes a good year at Hess Church, with all obligations of the budget paid in full and benevolences largely in hand.

Highlands Church has had another year of good preaching, persistent organization and everything in full under the pastorate of L. J. Hole.

F. P. Sulmonetti plans increased activities and a larger program than ever for the Italian Institutional Church and he'll do it. Read his printed report, which he brings to Conference for free distribution. Don't glance over it. Read it.

John Collins Church has had nine months of excellent leadership by L. A. Moore. Prof. B. B. Kessler has been the supply pastor during the closing months of the year.

Merritt Memorial has been growing throughout the entire pastorate of H. S. French, and in the mid-year raises the pastor's salary \$200.

Park Hill has had a phenomenal growth during the five years of F. E. McGuire's pastorate and the prospects for the new church building are only temporarily delayed.

Simpson church has had a divided year. J. H. Ketchum, because of a series of mid-year moves, was taken to Fowler, and the year at Simpson was completed in a satisfactory manner by Murray Beattie, a student pastor.

At our great Methodist center, Trinity Church, a truly wonderful year has just been concluded. This has probably been the greatest year in all the history of Trinity Church. Thirty-three thousand dollars were raised in a whirlwind campaign for the liquidation of the old persistent debt; the year is closed with all bills paid, all benevolences in full and a cash balance in the treasury. The membership, including the non-resident list, now numbers more than two thousand. By official action of the Fourth Quarterly Conference, Dr. Mead is invited back for life.

University Park Church has had an unusually prosperous year under the pastorate of W. E. Bell. The year has closed with the finances all provided for. What have probably been the largest regular congregations in the history of the church have waited upon the preaching of the pastor.

At Warren Memorial Church we have had another great year of constructive leadership under Dr. O. W. Fifer. All of the indebtedness on the church property has been provided for by a mid-year campaign, yielding more than \$11,000. All of the organizations of the church have been strengthened, the membership increased and the congregations enlarged. Dr. Fifer has preached this year to some of the largest congregations ever assembled in this church.

At Washington Park the unique community program has been successfully carried forward, the membership has increased and the influence of the church has been effectively widened under the vigorous and wise leadership of George L. Nuckolls. The plans for the new \$50,000 church are now complete and bids will be asked and the contract let at an early date. It is hoped that the fine program of this great church will be properly housed before the meeting of another Conference.

Our educational institutions will be reported by Chancellor Buchtel and President Beebe.

O. W. AUMAN.

#### GREELEY DISTRICT

In prefacing this brief summary of the Greeley District for the year just closed, it is fair to say that while church work has by no means been paralyzed, we have been confused and even distracted by the nation's sudden plunge into the great war. When the rolls of the Fourth Quar-

terly Conference were called, name after name was checked off, with the comment that they had been called to the colors or were waiting for the September summons. In certain instances Sunday School classes have been almost depleted, and the realities of war in the first stages are coming close home. Uncertainty is in the air, but men are clinging to the eternal verities. Attendance upon the ministries of the church, instead of falling off, seems to be increasing.

The proposed great drive for the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund, which was to have been the feature of the year's team work, would have been well on the way but for the counter drive of unexpected events. Concerning this great interest the Greeley District awaits your further instructions. I am sure the people would have been in the mood to respond but for the doubtful signs of the times.

Our building enterprises have been seriously embarrassed by the appalling increase of the cost of labor and materials. Nevertheless, the total showing is good. The new parsonages at Bennett and New Raymer are completed and occupied. The new \$3,000 church at Snyder is about ready for dedication. The Johnstown church was raised and a full basement built and the property otherwise improved. The church and parsonage properties at Kersey have been overhauled and put in good condition. New houses of worship are in varying stages of construction at Keota, Grover, New Raymer and Stoneham. These will range in value from \$1,500 to \$8.000. A severe hail in the vicinity of Buckingham three weeks ago had the effect of delaying the new building there for another twelve months. Ten thousand dollars have been subscribed on the proposed \$20,000 church at Wray, and this project will go forward during the year, barring unseen obstacles. In the neighborhood of \$5,000 are pledged for a new church at Akron. Methodism is most seriously handicapped here until a suitable building can be realized.

Bonded indebtednesses against church properties have been cancelled at Wiggins, Pierce and Brush during the year.

The older and more established churches have pursued their courses steadily, with manifest tendencies toward the deeper and broader Christian objectives. It is encouraging to note a gradually increasing vision which opens the way for definite and intelligent programs. In this class of churches we are making gratifying gains in the financial and educational standards. There is no incompatibility between the educational program and the deepest spirituality. The hip hurrah methods which seemed to work well in other days cannot substitute (the need) for line upon line and precept upon precept. While there have been no great revivals of the conventional type, with a very few exceptions, the memberships are steadily increasing. The largest net increases in membership are those recorded at Greeley, Brush and Yuma, being 113, 59 and 63, respectively. Our most remarkable all-round gains are those made in the so-called dry land sections. In spite of the two months' drouth and

an unusual amount of hail, phenomenal growth is being realized. The most notable example is the Pawnee Circuit in eastern Weld County. Two years ago chaos reigned in religious matters. Today we have a circuit of nearly 100 members, the pastor occupies a new eight-room parsonage, two churches are in the building, with a possible third, and but for the terrible hails a fourth building would have been realized, and the charge is paying \$1,400 cash without missionary money. P. D. Griffin is the fortunate pastor. The growth of the Byers Circuit under the hand of Alex. Denham, a local preacher of the homesteader type, is scarcely less wonderful. Methodism has reculiar fitness for this kind of work.

Our pastors are doing wonders in the matter of neighborhood extension work. Forty school houses are utilized for regular preaching places on Sunday afternoons in addition to the stated appointments. Outstanding work has been done by Pastors Ayres, Dickey, Bainbridge, Ingraham, Rice, Winterbourne and several others.

The legal contest between the Eaton church and the heirs of the John I. Alger estate, early in the year, brought a decision in favor of the church. Mr. Alger left his will so as to bequeath the residuary portion of his property to the local church and named the then pastor, J. W. Mahood, as one of the three executors. The contest was a long and in some respects a painful story. It is enough to say that the courts sustained the contention of the church, and as the result the sum of \$11,000 cash stands in the bank to the credit of the building fund.

After a long struggle for existence, Methodism has finally hauled down her flag at Berthoud and acknowledged defeat. But for a long series of misfortunes we might have been the leading religious force in that community. We have even surrendered to the Germans. The German Congregationalists have bought the property for \$1,700, to be paid for on the installment plan. Cash has been realized from all sources to cover outstanding bills and our obligations to the Board of Church Extension. The valuable services of Mr. W. B. Parker of the Peter Mintner Lumber Company, who acted as receiver in closing up the accounts, are hereby gratefully acknowledged.

The interests of higher Christian education are kept constantly before the churches. The University of Denver as the goal for our young people is constantly emphasized in the quarterly conferences. This was one of the five points of emphasis for the year's program.

The door of our opportunity for work among the Methodist students in the state institutions is steadily widening. The co-operation manifest is truly gratifying. Thirty-two of the faculty members are identified with the local churches, most of whom are active members of the official boards. The entering wedge at Boulder last fall in the form of a student pastor secretary shows satisfactory results. The Boulder church duplicated the gift of the Board of Home Missions, making a fund of \$1,000. We should have twice the amount. We were peculiarly fortunate in the

services of Parker Jordan through most of the year. We ought to have student secretaries at both Fort Collins and Greeley by another year. The analysis and summary of Methodist statistics for the three institutions the past year reveal the following facts: at registration time last fall, six hundred twenty-nine students signed cards with Methodist membership or preference. Four hundred and twenty-eight of these are members of the Methodist Episcopal church. Three hundred and sixty-two of these are more or less active in League, Sunday School and church in the three college towns. Nine large Sunday School classes are maintained exclusively for and by the students. The needs of this great field should be more fully recognized by the Conference. The Methodisms of Illinois, Nebraska, Wisconsin and Iowa are setting inspiring examples before us. A small percentage should be added to the Conference educational budget for this work from this time on. Too much praise cannot be given the three pastors serving Boulder, Fort Collins and Greeley for the care they are giving the students.

It has been a year of large financial demands. The Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A. and kindred worthy causes have gleaned to the remotest cross-roads. We mention it with pardonable pride that the Methodist ministers were recognized leading spirits in these campaigns. Current expense accounts and the benevolences naturally suffered somewhat, making it necessary to stress the finances with unusual diligence. Salaries are met with practically no exceptions. It was the plan to put the Greeley District in the same class with the Great Bend District of Kansas, with a 100 per cent benevolence record, but we have fallen short in about eight charges. Procrastination is the thief of the benevolences.

The problem of trained Christian leadership has been definitely grappled. We sent twenty-one young people to the M. E. M. Conference at Estes Park in July. This number ought to be doubled next year. Several of the pastors conducted their delegations personally. The District Conference at Brush and the District League Convention at Fort Collins in March and May, respectively, were unusually good.

The question of the adequate support of pastors has come to be a vital issue. In several cases charges must be combined to maintain pastors on the field. I have been crowding Quarterly Conferences hard to get increasing salaries. Somewhat more than 50 per cent have responded. This condition, coupled with the threatening famine in ministerial supply, makes the task of the District Superintendent a difficult one.

Rev. and Mrs. Estlow of Hillrose lost a little babe in the early year. In May, Mrs. Rice, wife of Brother A. W. Rice of Wray, was released from pain and went to live with God. With these exceptions, health has prevailed in the parsonage homes.

With profound gratitude to the Father of Life for His unspeakable goodness, and with the deepest sense of appreciation of the uniform kind-

ness of the pastors and the fine hospitality of the parsonage homes, I submit this report to the fifty-fifth session of the Colorado Conference.

FRANK R. HOLLENBACK.

#### GRAND JUNCTION DISTRICT

Five words roughly sketch the contents of this report—ministers, evangelism, money, problems, program.

Interest centers first in the personnel of our ministerial force. Collectively, three words describe them—loyal, fine-spirited, efficient. Individually, there would be exceptions. A roll call at the end of the Conference year reveals all originally appointed on the district still in service except two, W. C. Cronk and R. Staniforth. W. J. Keeser takes Cronk's place at Paonia and W. J. Groat, a local deacon, takes Chama, N. M. A. L. Leech transferred in from the Maine Conference and takes Keeser's place at Austin.

J. Albert Dean is a double Ph.D., having received his second degree in June at Grove City, Pa. J. Andrew Dean of Carbondale and Basalt, early in the year, mapped the Roaring Fork Valley from Cattle Creek to Snow Mass, locating every family, and has worked this great field, much of the time on foot. William Pepper redeemed a difficult situation at Glenwood Springs when, under his magic touch, discouragements took wing, and now he has a smiling, happy congregation. B. F. Ross has for two years been Bishop of the entire Eagle Valley and has borne both the honors and the burdens of his office well. A. J. Hutchins has put Rifle on the church map, leading in a great pre-conference campaign for next year's finances which promises a substantial advance in all salary claims. F. H. Rose of Meeker needed a car for that great field. He found a man who had a Ford which he could not run, paid him \$160 for it, picked a bit of steel out of the magneto and found himself the owner of a \$300 outfit. P. M. Resor has had Clifton and Grand Valley. Next year he is wanted by Clifton alone at a larger salary than both have been paying this year. W. H. Rose, the only man on the district who has served one charge more than two years is wanted back for the fifth year at Bethel and DeBeque. H. L. Elston has served well at Mesa and Plateau City. He grows rapidly and wears well. G. W. Cook raised \$1,000 for the Palisade debt. He has come gloriously through one of the hardest years of his ministry. W. N. Tobie gripped his people and the entire community at Grand Junction as few pastors have ever done, but his health broke entirely under the strain. He takes leave of absence next year. T. C. Collister carries the banner of a larger Methodism in Fruita. He is called a "great" preacher by his people. E. H. Fleisher, another veteran, has held the lower Grand Valley at Loma and Mack for future generations of large salaried preachers. He received \$400 from a reluctant people for doing it. He won a battle for the next man. Delta has been reconstructed under

the ministry of G. F. Klein, back incidental debts have been cleared up and he has a smiling, happy people promising him an increase if he will come back next year. O. M. Bowman lives in a new bungalow parsonage at Cedaredge. There is money in hand to pay for it entire. A. B. Horton of Hotchkiss believes in and practices an evangelistic ministry. C. D. Basham has demonstrated the value of the stereopticon as a pastor's helper in solving the problem of the Sunday evening service at Crawford. J. T. Carson of Olathe has organized a flourishing community church at Menoken. He brings to Conference one of the best reports from the district. J. T. Coulter has patiently led his people in the gigantic task of church building. The balance on the \$11,000 basement has been paid and a fund created which now permits of beginning work on the superstructure. This is a field for a ministerial Hercules. J. S. Ferris brought a bride to the Gunnison pasonage in December. She presides there so gracefully that his people have decided that he must have a better parsonage next year. Miss Emma Tagg demonstrates that a woman can supply a Methodist Church successfully. She has built up a fine rural organization at Uncompandere and her fame has gone abroad. J. M. Flynn has occupied a difficult field successfully at Ridgway and Colona. The latter place has lost most of its Methodist people by removals. He has given Ridgway one of the best years in its history. A. T. Munger of Norwood was brought to death's door by appendicitis in May, but recovered and two months later went forth better than ever. Stanley A. Curtis is pastor of all Dolores and part of Montezuma Counties. He and his Ford are everywhere. This year he opened work at Rico, which is his sixth regular preaching point. W. W. Speer has worked along community lines at Cortez. He is asked for next year by other than the Methodists. In Durango, W. S. Grim of our church has held his own and more, and that is saying much. When the Methodisms reunite it will help our work there. Ignacio and Bayfield both praise the ministry of Louis Gale. He will report 100 members this year. There were fourteen on the roll last year. L. P. Fagen has completed the new \$4,000 parsonage at Pagosa Springs. He brings in a perfect report from all departments, with a large increase in membership. E. Burns Martin has successfully walked the ecclesiastical tight-rope in the Community Church at Telluride. We own him, but not the church. He is in demand on all occasions in that great mining center.

While there have been cases of severe illness, death has not entered one of our parsonage homes this year, for which we devoutly thank God. New-born life has come to four—to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Collister, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Klein, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Coulter, a boy, and to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Flynn, a girl. I have baptized Frances Elizabeth Klein and Ruth Evelyn Curtis. One of our parsonages and many of our church homes have furnished recruits for the army and navy. May the

merciful God spare all who are in the field from moral stain and death-dealing wound!

In evangelism this has not been an outstanding year on the district. Personal evangelism and the Sunday School decision day have been stressed as a means of ingathering, and where used have proved successful. Pastors J. Andrew Dean, Resor, Horton, Elston and Munger were their own evangelists in special services to the saving of souls and the blessing of the people. During the year Evangelist W. E. Bennett held successful meetings at Eagle, Palisade and Olathe; R. B. Carson at Montrose; A. J. Fitt at Aspen; R. S. Chambers at Ignacio; Sara E. Doebler at Bethel, Loma and Cedaredge; Reva A. Owen at Chama, N. M., and William J. Lockhart at Pagosa Springs. The last, especially, was a splendid exhibition of evangelistic skill and power, and all were in a high degree blessed of God in the reaching of many for His Kingdom.

One of the biggest things on the Grand Junction District is its debt list. Our indebtedness is .142 per cent of our valuation, as compared with an average of .124 per cent for the entire Conference. This year the small debts at Ignacio and Lebanon, on the Dolores Circuit, have been cleared up; Fruita and Palisade have reduced their debts by \$1,000 each; Glenwood Springs has paid \$600; Meeker has paid \$400, and Pagosa Springs has made a substantial reduction. Rifle has purchased a fine new parsonage and has the money subscribed to pay for it. Many dollars in improvements, painting and interior decoration for churches and parsonages represent our expenditures for building purposes for the year. With improved financial conditions, benevolences ought to show a decided increase this year. Salaries will show a slight decrease, but there is a strong upward tendency for next year.

Our problems are many and acute, but a few of the outstanding ones may be briefly summarized:

- 1. To secure protracted pastorates which will face and solve the problems of the local churches instead of glossing them over. This district is being cursed with an epidemic of short pastorates. Short pastorates tend to superficiality. Unwholesome conditions are never corrected by discharging the man who "knows too much" and putting in his place the man who is ignorant. Pastors and churches are chasing the will-o'-the-wisp of the unattainable, the one seeking the perfect church, the other the perfect preacher. Both will be forever disappointed so long as they seek these things through frequent changes rather than by means of hard, grinding toil and the power of a dynamic faith.
- 2. The "regional conference" has appeared upon the horizon of our church. We also need the "regional pastorate." In the very nature of the case many of our appointments must cover a large field of pastoral activity. It is wrong to limit the activities to the town which forms the center of such a field. It might be profitable to change names of appointments so as to define areas of activity rather than centers.

3. In these times of soaring prices the men on the smaller appointments are being forced into various kinds of secular employment to find support for their families and keep bills paid. Some truly heroic instances have occurred this year in which men have taken up the most arduous kinds of labor in order to piece out inadequate salaries. On these charges now our men are practically on a strike for enough salary to enable them to secure the bare necessities of life. They must have these salaries or be forced into secular employment entirely. The charges will be left without appointments unless through an increase of salary or a regrouping of circuits, the adequate amount is secured. Some churches are catching step with the new requirements, but more are as yet agonizing over the small amount now being paid and refusing to increase. What can be done with them and for them?

We have had during the past year, and will continue to have, a definite program setting the mark toward which all our churches are to work. It includes such items as the following:

- (a) A 10 per cent increase in membership.
- (b) Benevolences in full.
- (c) Settlement day quarterly for all salary claims.
- (d) Organized adult Bible classes in all the schools.
- (e) The every member canvass for salaries and benevolences.
- (f) Missionary and temperance societies organized in all our Sunday Schools.
- (g) New church record books and all blanks for Quarterly Conference reports and records present at every Quarterly Conference session and properly written up.

These and other marks of the efficient church will be held before our people during the year, unto the attainment of which we pray the help of the Holy Spirit and the leadership of the Master unto the blessing of all the churches.

E. N. EDGERTON.

## PUEBLO DISTRICT

Mr. President and Brothers:-

I want to tell you the story of the year's work on the Pueblo District in a simple and matter-of-fact way.

1. I wish to speak my appreciation for the most excellent kingdom-foundation laying and the permanent building of my worthy predecessors. The names of Rader, Harris, Chase and Mayo have a large and appreciative place in the hearts and memories of the people. They are loved and kindly remembered for their fine Christian service. It is worth while to render such faithful and sacrificing service as these good men have given.

## 2. Greetings

I bring you cordial greetings from 728 church officials, 40 Quarterly Conferences, 55 church organizations, 7,784 church members, 8,129 Sunday school scholars, 1,317 Epworth Leaguers, 321 Junior Leaguers, 2,026 members of the Ladies' Aid Society, 367 members of the W. F. M. Society, 271 members of the W. H. M. Society and that large untabulated number of friends and supporters outside the membership of the church who believe in the kind of work that we do as Methodist Episcopalians.

### 3. Pastoral Changes

A year ago when the appointments were read and the portfolio of the district was handed to me, I discovered that thirty-six pastors had been appointed and that two charges were left "to be supplied." F. Ridley Guy, a son of a minister, was secured for Stonington. J. R. Millsap, a retired minister in the S. W. K. Conference, took charge at Model. Two supplies failed to go to their charges, and E. S. Burr from Nebraska was appointed to Alamosa and G. A. Dittmar has supplied Springfield. Early in December, W. T. Gatley was taken from Fowler and sent to Julesburg. J. H. Ketchum of Simpson Church, Denver, was appointed to Fowler. Two weeks after the death of Dr. Imboden, S. L. Cates, a member of the North Indiana Conference, was put in charge at Northern Avenue, Pueblo, as a supply. Two months later he resigned, and since that time Prof. A. E. Tuck has been in charge. In March, R. D. Webster, who organized the Prowers County Circuit and was serving as a supply, was ordered home by his own Conference, the S. W. Kansas, and since then there has been no regular pastor.

#### 4. Parsonage Homes

In the parsonage homes there are thirty-two married preachers and two bachelors. In the thirty-two homes there are eighty-one childrenforty-one boys and forty girls. According to the fathers and mothers. these are all high-grade boys and girls. To this opinion the District Superintendent gives his indorsement. Most of these homes have gone through the year with very little sickness. However, in some there was sickness which caused anxiety and patient watching. Brother Lucas, at Hartman; Mrs. Burr, at Alamosa; Mrs. Johnson, at Swink; Mrs. Maynard, at St. Paul, Pueblo, and the District Superintendent's wife were all in hospitals during the year. All of these have or are recovering. Death came into two of our homes. On Christmas Day Dr. Frank W. Imboden, pastor at Northern Avenue, Pueblo, answered the summon of the Death Angel and hurried away from friends and loved ones on earth to be with his Lord, whom he had served so faithfully for twenty-six years in the ministry. He was a conscientious and constructive workman. The little son of Brother and Sister Mumford of Cheraw very quietly slipped out of their arms into the safely folding arms of Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me."

## 5. McClelland Orphanage

The year's work of this institution has been very gratifying. Nearly a hundred children have been received and cared for. The deaconesses who are in charge have rendered a faithful and willing service to these children. During the year Mr. Andrew McClelland, the generous patron who made the institution possible, has given another magnanimous gift. consisting of 200 shares of stock in the Andrew McClelland Mercantile, Industrial Realty Company. The income from this stock is conservatively estimated at \$2,000 per year.

#### 6. The Italian Mission

The work of the Mission is carried on by a pastor and two deaconesses and many volunteer workers from the churches in Pueblo. The temporal needs of the people are cared for in night schools for the men and women—dressmaking for the women and girls, cooking classes, kitchen-garden, kindergarten, nursing, boys' clubs and employment bureau work. The spiritual life has been nourished by street preaching, Junior Leagues, Sunday Schools, prayer meetings and the regular preaching services. In the different departments of work 740 meetings have been held, with an attendance of 11,000. The Mission is increasing in its self-support. Three hundred and thirty dollars have been paid on ministerial support and the benevolences will be in full. The total of their giving for the year is \$460.

#### 7. District Meetings

The District Conference was held in La Junta last November. The program was prepared with a view of emphasizing the essential things which belong to our church organizations and the membership activities. Missionary Work, Benevolences, The Sunday School Program, The Prayer Meeting, The New Financial Plan, Evangelism, The Church a Community Center, The Sermon and Pastoral Fidelity were the subjects discussed. The preachers and the laymen entered enthusiastically into the discussion of these problems. The six pastors in the San Luis Valley who did not attend the meeting in La Junta because they were too far away met the District Superintendent in Monte Vista and we spent one day together discussing their local problems and the general program of the church. The W. F. M. Society and the W. H. M. Society held a joint convention at Rocky Ford. The Epworth Leagues of the San Luis Valley held a very successful convention in Alamosa the 12th and 13th of this month.

### 8. Property Interests

Two new churches are being built. At Stonington a frame building costing \$3,000 will soon be ready for dedication. At Springfield a stone building is under construction and will cost at least \$4,000. The District Superintendent laid the corner-stone for these buildings, also at Bethel

in Pueblo. The corner-stone at Stonington was laid May the tenth and was the first one for a church building in Baca County.

At Haswell the new church, begun last year, was dedicated on May 6th. Dr. James A. Beebe was the preacher. Two hundred dollars were asked for and the people gave \$347. At Wiley, where a remarkable work has been accomplished in two years, a Sunday School room with a basement has been added to the church. The interior of the old building was rearranged and by the use of sliding doors the entire first floor can be used as one room. The seating capacity, including the gallery, is 1,200. The cost was \$4,700.

The church building at Pethel, Pueblo, has stood still this year. There were good reasons for this action on the part of the official board and a very enthusiastic congregation. Ere long we are hoping that the noise of the workmen will be renewed.

There has been quite an activity throughout the district in church and parsonage improvements and new equipment. This work has touched a wide range. All the way from a front-yard gate at Mosca to a fine Kimbali pipe organ at St. Paul, Pueblo. Between these two extremes may be mentioned paint, paper, carpets, screens, doors, fences, roofs, window shades, pianos, new pews, pulpit furniture, new hymn books, new lights, coal sheds, sleeping porches, bath-rooms, kitchen ranges, furnaces, heating stoves and a few lawn and other necessary implements. Twenty thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars have been paid on improvements and new buildings; \$5,167 paid on indebtedness. The present indebtedness is \$22,615. Some good day, in a concerted action, the Pueblo District is going to get busy and wipe out the last dollar of indebtedness.

### 9. Ministerial Support

At the close of the First Quarterly Conference visitation the Superintendent's record showed an increase of \$2,340 in the pastors' salaries. Only two charges lowered the salary. The salaries range from \$200 without a house to \$2,200 including a house. The average salary, including rental values, is \$1,072. The pastors from thirty-four charges report that the salaries will be paid in full; only four report a deficit. That is a fine showing, but our goal is "every salary paid in full." In the face of the H. C. L., I cannot understand how some of our ministers' wives manage to clothe, feed and keep their children in school. If there is any difference in elevation of seats in the world of eternal sunshine and plenty, and if one more than another is to be bathed with the glory of the Master's presence, I believe it will be these noble, self-sacrificing wives and mothers of the parsonage homes. Some of the Quarterly Conferences voted to increase the salary for the coming year. The amount of the increase voted is \$1,760. I have reasons to believe that others will follow this good example.

#### 10. Benevolences

The benevolences are not going to be paid in full. Eighteen pastors only report that all the claims will be paid. There is an inexcusable neglect and indifference on the part of some preachers and a regrettable absence of conscience on the part of many of our people in reference to the importance of the benevolence collections. A campaign of education is planned for the district, by which we hope to inspire more loyalty and more generous giving to these causes. The whole program of benevolences, therefore, becomes one of our immediate tasks.

#### 11. The Pastors

The pastors who have labored in the district the past year are a choice aggregation. With few exceptions, they have wrought well. I do not wish to judge manhood or ability by the achievements of any particular year, or years. Some may have lacked opportunity, nevertheless the testimony of the centuries will show that every true prayer has been answered, every good deed rewarded and every sacrifice has had its compensation; and in the larger vision of the perfect future each will receive from the Master's giving according as he hath done. I wish I had time to tell of the work of these men. They are deserving of such recognition. I will tell you who they are:

Ewart, Maynard, Lee; Ex-District Superintendents three.

Waller and Tyre, Antle and Maclean; Chas. Wesley Huett of Miss'y fame. Morris' two—H. R. and W. E.—and Adams, who preached at Del Norte. Stuntz and Cooper, Mumford and Hall; Taylor, Scharff, Tuck, Shepherd, all tall.

Wood, McDonald, Large—and all that; Pimlott, Brand, Lucas, not very fat.

Johnson of Swink and Johnson of Eads, Dittmar, Logston, Burr who for men pleads;

Ketchum, Campbell, Lane and Pohl of Vineland;

Millsap and Guy completes this District Band.

#### 12. A Few Briefs

The pastors report 528 days in special evangelistic meetings.

Nineteen thousand three hundred and sixty-four pastoral calls are reported to have been made,

Six hundred and eighty-four church papers are taken. That is not enough. It must be more.

The Ladies' Aid Societies have raised \$9,468 during the year. Nearly all of this amount has been wisely spent for the spiritual and temporal interests of the local churches,

A good man at Alamosa, through the influence of our pastor, has deeded the Conference Claimants' Board in Chicago a town property estimated to be worth \$2,200.

The members of the Quarterly Conferences, as well as all the congregations, have been exceedingly kind, charitable and appreciative of the leadership of an inexperienced District Superintendent. The preachers and their families have been generous in their hospitality and thoughtful care of me when out on the district. For these kindly considerations I graciously and appreciatively say: Thank you, and God bless you.

Service is the keyword of life's happiest way; I would be happy, therefore I must serve.

In Thy broad acreage, Lord, a place give me; There I'll gladly toil; for Thy kingdom, for men and eternity.

Then in the realm of nightless day, when the work is done The triumphs of the servant will become the angel's song.

Then will I be happy, for I had a place to serve, And the Master will commend me, because I served.

CHARLES W. HANCHER.

## (B) REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

#### AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Never before has the world seen so many great causes crying for support. In our conviction of the worthiness of these causes, and in our desire to meet our obligation, we are in danger of letting sympathy run away with duty, so that we shall fail to discriminate as we should in favor of the supreme interest.

The task of the church is to save the world. The greatest instrument in its hands for that task is the Word of God. The chief agency for furnishing the instrument according to demand is the American Bible Society, and the only resource of the American Bible Society, that it may furnish the instrument for the church's task, is the loyal and liberal financial support of the church. By how much the spiritual and eternal is more than the physical and temporal, by so much our effort should discriminate in favor of the institution serving those ends. Whatever causes suffer, the American Bible Society must not.

One of the most effective means of "making the war safe for character" will be the wisest and widest distribution of Bibles among those most directly influenced by the war. This will require our most loyal financial support, which is the least we should expect to give.

The American Bible Society has just donated 1,000,000 Testaments for the soldiers. Every soldier who receives a Testament signs a pledge to read a portion of that Testament every day. Eighty per cent of our

soldiers on the Mexican border, to whom Testaments were given, were at the time without any church connection whatever. We lost the chance of winning them before they went to the border, but through the work of the American Bible Society another opportunity was given.

We urge all our churches to raise in full their Bible Society apportionment

G. A. CAGE, Chairman.

#### BETH-FL HOSPITAL

We desire to record our appreciation of the valuable service of Dr. Walter W. Morritt, who recently retired from the superintendency, also to assure the new superintendent, Dr. C. E. Mogg, of our loyal support in his efforts for the larger usefulness of the institution.

The continued prosperity of Beth-El Hospital justifies the wisdom of those who founded it.

Detailed report of the past year's work follows:

Number of patients treated last year	53
Number of patients admitted	199
Number of surgical operations	315
Number of medical cases	584
Number of obstetrical cases	124
Number of deaths	47
Number of pay patients	320
Number of patients paying in part	500
Number of patients receiving free treatment	133
Estimated value of free treatment\$8,0	000
Number of graduate nurses employed	3
Number of student nurses in training	38
Number graduated as regular nurses	8
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Financial statement of fiscal year ending July 1, 1917:	

Total earnings

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Cost of operating	
\$ 54,070.61	\$ 54,070.61
Overdraft, July 1, 1916\$ 173.75	
Receipts from patients	\$ 39,311.96
From other sources	2,307.46
Disbursements 41,435.71	
Overdraft, June 30, 1917	90.04

\$ 41,609.46 \$ 41,609.46

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Uncollected accounts.       \$ 14,245.77         Unpaid bills       6,858.46	
\$ 7,387.31	
Value of Beth-El Hospital\$110,000.00	
Value of new home for nurses	\$135,000.00
Indebtedness	30,000.00

In view of this financial statement, we make the following recommendations:

First—An apportionment to the churches of 5 cents per member for current expense fund, and that the last Sunday in October be designated as Hospital Sunday, when the hospital interest shall be presented and the offering taken.

Second—That a commission of five be appointed from the Colorado Conference to co-operate with the local Hospital Board in the management of the institution.

C. B. WILCOX,
C. L. MEAD,
O. W. FIFER,
A. L. CHASE.

### STATE OF CHURCH

The place and program of the Christian church in a crisis such as now confronts us is a question, of supreme importance.

The state of the church and the condition of its work is most gratifying. While making progress along all lines of ordinary work, the church has not failed in heroic response to the great and unusual call made upon it by our nation's entering the war.

Such response alone has determined beyond question the place of the church in our national life. This unusual service and sacrifice has been attended by a richer spiritual life and deeper devotion to the Kingdom.

That the church may worthily meet the challenge of the world, we urge that:

- (1) Every means be used to serve the social, political and religious needs of the day.
- (2) All diligence be exercised in protecting free institutions from all encroachments.
- (3) Loyal support be given to measures seeking to prevent child labor, to secure an eight-hour labor day, to establish and maintain a minimum wage scale as well as other movements looking to "Christianizing the Social Order."

Such steps, we believe, will bring the church more securely into the confidence of the world, offer additional opportunity to serve and greatly help in the supreme work it is undertaking.

JOHN L. SPARGO, JOHN M. ELDRIDGE.

### CHURCH PROPERTY

The abandonment of our societies at Berthoud, Welby and Pleasant View has made it expedient to dispose of the properties at these places. This has been done in accordance with the instruction of the Discipline. The Conference herewith instructs the District Superintendents involved to adjust the claims of the Board of Church Extension out of the first receipts of sale and to use the balance, if any, in the forwarding of church building enterprises on their respective districts.

JAMES THOMAS, JOHN BRAND, F. H. ROSE.

# CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

## Plan One-By the Cabinet

Acting upon the request of the Conference, the Cabinet, after a long and serious consideration of all the elements involved in the campaign for the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund, agreed to report back to you with the following recommendations:

First—That the apportionment to the Conference be increased in the ratio of 10 cents on each grade point, amounting in all to 90 cents. This, with the new Conference grade point for the year 1917-18, which is 17,076, would yield an income of \$15,368, as against \$13,000 for the past year.

Second—That the Conference take no action at this time binding itself to definite increases for the two succeeding years.

Third—That we instruct the Conference Commission on the Endowment Fund to proceed with definite plans for a general campaign for funds, said campaign to be completed on or before December 31, 1918.

## Plan Two-By W. F. Steele

Resolved, First, That the Colorado Conference heartily thanks those of the present Jubilee Beneficiaries who with practical uniformity to the amount of about \$1,600 a year, are willing and pledge themselves under certain conditions to accept their extra Jubilee Annuities year by year as the last dollars—some as high as \$136 each—on the payment in 1918 of their full minimum Disciplinary annuities, and that we proceed to plan to accept and bind that offer.

Resolved, Second, That by roll call of ayes and noes we adopt the following three year program:

As in 1915, we advanced from a \$9,000 apportionment to the charges for Conference claimants to \$11,000, or 22 per cent, and in 1916 from \$11,000 to \$13,000, or 18 per cent. So we hereby advance the apportionment in 1917 from \$13,000 to \$16,000, or 23 per cent, and in 1918 from \$16,000 to \$19,000, or 19 per cent, and in 1919 from \$19,000 to the practically normal \$22,000, or 16 per cent, making in the five years an average advance of less than 20 per cent on the preceding year.

> FROST CRAFT, O. W. FIFER, C. M. COOPER, GEO. L. NUCKOLLS, GUY E. KONKEL, JAMES THOMAS, A. J. WALLER, JOHN R. EDWARDS, JAMES W. MAHOOD, F. E. McGUIRE, HENRY M. MAYO, A. L. CHASE, J. F. HARRIS,

CHARLES ODELL THIBODEAU.

## CONFERENCE MINUTES-PUBLICATION

A resolution to provide for the publication of our Conference Minutes, whereby it shall be agreed:

First-To print our Annual Minutes in two editions, to-wit:

First Edition (so-called) to be limited to the smallest number required to supply our need and obtain the minimum charge.

The Second Edition, to supply all additional copies ordered as per plan hereinafter stated.

Second-First edition to supply one copy to each member of Conference, probationer, supply, widow of deceased member, our Connectional boards and a sufficient surplus to meet the demand made upon the Secretary during the year.

Third—The cost of the first edition shall be apportioned among all persons connected with or working within or under the jurisdiction of the bounds of the Colorado Conference, whose support is \$500 or more per year.

The apportionment to be made on salary basis, including house rent, as recorded in minutes of previous year or as reported to publishers by those whose salary is not printed in Minutes.

The amount shall be equal to \$1 for first \$500 salary, including house rent and 10 cents for each additional \$100 of salary. (\$50 or more shall count at \$100.00.)

Fourth-All persons paying as above stated shall receive in consideration thereof one copy of the Minutes.

One copy shall be delivered free of charge to (a) All preachers receiv-

ing less than \$500 salary; (b) all retired members of Conference, and (c) all widows of deceased members.

Fifth—Additional copies in any quantity may be procured at 10 cents each by any one coming under the provisions aforestated. To others, copies shall be sold at 25 cents each.

Sixth—All accounts are strictly cash in advance. All orders to be in no later than the second day of Conference.

Seventh—Authority hereby to be given to Secretary to arrange for publication of succeeding year's Minutes and add to or subtract from the above apportionment according to prevailing prices.

## TREASURER'S REPORT-MINUTE COMMISSION

#### Receipts

Tion advertisements	39.40 37.50 21.18
<del></del> \$5	28.08
Expenditures	
A. F. Ragatz, Conf. Secty, expense.	4.25 12.75 6.75
Total expenditures	
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#### Respectfully,

CHARLES ODELL THIBODEAU.

#### CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD

The reports presented to the Conference Deaconess Board by the different Deaconess organizations within the bounds of this Conference are highly satisfactory and encouraging.

Beth-El Hospital has had the most successful year in its history. A new home for nurses, costing more than \$30,000, was opened last July, practically free from debt. About 20 per cent of the cases and operations of the past year were without charge. The greatest need of the hospital is the payment of the remaining \$30,000 of bonded indebtedness.

The Margaret Evans Deaconess Home of Denver has added to its property during the year a furnished cottage at Glen Park, Colorado, the

gift of a generous friend in Denver. The settlement work in charge of the Deaconesses in this home has been enlarged by taking over rooms occupied for years by People's Chapel and assuming responsibility for the Sunday School and other work heretofore done by People's Chapel.

The Deaconesses in the Margaret Evans Home are engaged in parish work, settlement work and hospital service. The following licensed Deaconesses are connected with the home and were approved as to character and standing: Mrs. C. W. Horton, Louise Swickheimer, Beulah Rayson, Leona Osterhout, Rhoda E. Sigler, Lida C. Manning, Grace Packer, Mabel Biggs, Irene Cummings, Catherine Reisinger, Mary Harrison.

Mary Wright is approved as a probationer.

The Superintendent of the home is Mrs. C. W. Horton, 1630 Ogden Street, Denver, Colorado.

Katherine Deardoff left the home during the year on account of sickness.

Mary Harrison, Grace A. Packer and Leona Osterhout were received during the year and Grace A. Packer was transferred to the Colorado Conference from the Wyoming Conference.

The Pueblo Deaconess Home has been improved by substantial repairs and new furnishings. One Deaconess in this home has given her entire time to evangelistic work, with good results. Excellent service has been rendered by the Nurse Deaconess, and two Deaconesses have labored faithfully and with gratifying success among the foreign population.

The licensed Deaconesses connected with this home are: Reva A. Owen, Violet M. Leach, Lelia Barnes, Mary J. Schwinn, Bertha Ragland, Rena W. Stevenson.

Mary J. Schwinn left the home to care for a sick relative and Bertha Ragland was received during the year. All the above named Deaconesses have been approved in character and standing.

The McClelland Orphanage is held in high favor among the people of Pueblo, who provide generously for its support. Andrew McClelland, who gave the original property now occupied by this institution, has this year made an additional gift of stock, the market value of which is between twenty and thirty thousand dollars. The home has sheltered during the year seventy children.

The licensed Deaconesses engaged in this work are as follows: Anna Burgess, Lulu Patterson, Cornelia Rodenfels, Clio Nesbit.

Garda Johnson is a probationer. All of them are approved as to character and standing.

Anna Burgess, the capable Superintendent, has been granted a six months' leave of absence for health reasons.

Cornelia Rodenfels and Lulu Patterson have been received during the year and their transfer to the jurisdiction of this Conference has been requested.

At the meeting of the Conference Board held August 30, 1917, Garda

Johnson was granted a certificate of recognition as a Deaconess probationer and Clio Nesbit was given a Deaconess license.

Clio Nesbit was consecrated as a Deaconess by Bishop Francis J. McConnell, Sunday, September 2, 1917.

The Conference Board feels that the interest taken in Deaconess work throughout our Conference is far less than it should be. The need for more Deaconess workers is urgent, and pastors are requested to call the attention of capable and consecrated young women to this fruitful field of Christian service.

FROST CRAFT, Secretary. A. C. PECK, President.

#### COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS

We have examined the District Conference Records of the Greeley, Grand Junction and Pueblo Districts and have found them correct.

J. A. McCLELLAND, Chairman.

J. A. SHEPHERD, Secretary.

#### **EDUCATION**

The Committee on Education submits the following report on the University of Denver:

All the campaigns of the University for liquidation of debts, for maintenance, for enlargement and for endowment have been successful. One and one-third million dollars in cash and pledges has been the record of achievement since the Conference met in Salida in 1900.

This is the result of hearty co-operation of ministers and laymen and very many friends of Christian education outside our own communion. All the objectives sought in this continuous campaigning, down to this hour, have been won.

At every Conference session we have been at a critical point in our life. This is true now in 1917, and will continue to be true until the deficit in our current expense account shall be wiped out through the completion of our present campaign to secure adequate endowment in cash to meet the conditions of the proposed gift of the General Educational Board.

All our debts are now extinguished. This brings us to the longdesired day when every dollar that we collect in cash on Endowment Account will bring a third of a dollar from New York.

So we thank God and take courage!

The pledges which are now known to have no value aggregate	19,000
The total amount of our valid pledges is	\$457,000
Net cash applied on debts and deficits and expenses of campaigns down to date	\$226,000
Net amount of valid pledges now on hand	\$231,000 69,000
The total cash which we must secure to meet conditions of proposed gift of \$100,000 is	\$300,000
We owed June 1, 1913  The deficit since that date, plus expenses of all campaigns, amounts to	\$110,000 116,000
The total of debts and deficits now paid, as shown above, is	\$226,000

All this is precisely what we expected. No church building or any other big subscription for any cause ever pays out in full. There are always losses from death, from misfortune and from indifference.

The gigantic University subscription has yielded better results than the average subscription for the building of a church.

Today we face the task of collecting pledges which aggregate \$231,000 and the additional task of securing \$69,000 in new money and the additional task of securing additional thousands of dollars to cover all deficits and campaign expenses until we shall have invested an addition to our University endowment of \$400,000.

We have notes of cheer in the fine success of our field Secretaries, Henry M. Mayo and James F. Harris, and in the gift of \$16,000 for the completion of the main room of our chapel from a friend of Christian education in the Roman Catholic Church, and in our growing student body, now numbering 1,685; but we turn from the consideration of these cheering facts to face the one supreme duty of this hour.

It is evident that we must not only collect \$231,000 of old pledges, but that we must also find \$100,000 of new cash before December 31, 1919, at which date the pledge of the General Educational Board terminates.

So we here and now pledge our hearty co-operation in the execution of all the plans which may be adopted by the University for the completion of this gigantic endowment campaign.

A. J. WALLER, Chairman.
JAMES THOMAS, Secretary.

#### ILIFF SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

The Iliff School of Theology, under the able presidency of Dr. James A. Beebe, continues to show encouraging signs of success. The enrollment for the past year was 59, consisting of 33 regular and 26 special students, an increase of seven over the year before. These students came from 16 states and 33 schools, colleges and universities. Three-fourths of the regular students have completed the major part or all of the college course.

The outlook for next year is uncertain, owing to the war, but the institution expects to be open with an entering class of at least ten or twelve. While we think with pride and gratitude of the gift of young manhood that our schools have already made, we are thankful for those still left to be trained for the eternal war against evil and for leadership in coming days of reconstruction.

The finances of the school have been so carefully and wisely handled that there is no cause for uneasiness on that score—but the margin is too narrow for all embarrassment to cease, and the future usefulness of the school will be curtailed if something cannot be done to make the income larger. While we rejoice at the sacrificial spirit of the faculty in accepting remuneration so far below that which they should receive, we feel the time must come when the strain upon their loyalty and devotion must be removed. Some slight advance in salaries, we are glad to note, has been made.

The Conference contribution of last year of \$500.00 has been greatly appreciated as it met some real needs unprovided for in the budget. We recommend that not only this contribution be continued, but that it be increased to \$800.00, so as to more fully meet the needs that remain unprovided for.

We desire to again express our high appreciation of the services of Dr. James A. Beebe, whose influence and power continue to grow. Another year of marked success has further demonstrated the wisdom of his selection for the position he holds as the head of the school.

As a part of a great connectional church we rejoice in the prosperity that has come to our three oldest Theological Schools, Boston, Drew and Garrett, and commend them heartily to the consideration of the church.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION

Your committee recommends that the Colorado Annual Conference pledge renewed co-operation and loyal support to our Board of Education in its plans for a Jubilee Endowment of one million dollars for increasing its Student Loan Fund, for aiding needy institutions, by gifts from the Public Educational Collection, and especially for caring for the religious needs of Methodist students at State schools.

#### THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

We acknowledge the Epworth League to be an organization worthy of sincere praise and cordial support as a strong influence in and aid to the efficiency and activities of the church.

In our outlook upon the life of the League we would urge:

First—That the pastors identify themselves with this Society of young people by a cordial personal interest and a hearty co-operation.

Second—That we urge the Epworthians to the highest enterprise for the League, but at the same time to aid fully in the work of their pastor for the welfare and prosperity of the church as a whole.

Third—That we commend the Leagues of the Conference for the support of the Rev. J. H. Garden, a missionary of India, and for the contributions made to the general missionary work of the church.

Fourth—That we would urge the Leagues to subscribe more largely to the Epworth Herald, and also to support the "Eloc," published by the State Epworth League in the interest of the work throughout the State.

We believe in these young people and would emphasize the necessity of organizing in every charge a Senior and Junior League.

A. L. T. EWERT, J. W. MAHOOD.

#### REPORT OF FARE EQUALIZER

Balance from last year  Printing double post cards to get record of fares	\$8.25 7.00
Balance,	\$1.25
Total cost of transportation	
	\$1,096.05
Number sharing Passes contributed Refusing to share Average fare	15 3
Amount received	\$198.55
Total paid out	159.60
Balance on hand	\$ 38.95

This large balance is accounted for by the fact that several adjustments were made in the record after settlement was made on the average of \$7.15. The Conference ordered the balance carried over instead of paying each man the difference between the above average and \$6.85.

JAMES W. MAHOOD, Equalizer.

#### COMMISSION ON FINANCE

Whereas, The Disciplinary Plan of Finance has been tested under practically all sorts of conditions, and has so thoroughly demonstrated its efficiency wherever it has been faithfully carried out that it received the approval of the General Conference which embodied it in the law of the church, giving it a claim upon our judgment as men who are openminded to the testimony of experts and the evidence of facts, and a claim upon our loyalty as men who accept and endeavor loyally to obey the law of the church; therefore,

Resolved, That we commend the Disciplinary Plan of Finance to the attention of all our Official Boards and recommend that it be adopted and put in operation in all our churches.

Resolved, That we urge upon all our pastors to exercise special care to see that the plan is not rendered ineffective by the omission or feeble presentation of the benevolent claims, or any other essential part of the plan, but to put forth every effort to secure a suitable educational campaign, a proper observance of the special days in the interest of the several Benevolent Boards, a personal canvass of every member of the church giving equal consideration to the benevolent claims and the local budget and an earnesst use of the spiritual opportunities of the plan.

Resolved, That we call attention of our people to the fact that the apportionments for the several Benevolent Boards are simply the minimum requirements and not the full measure of responsibility, that the General Conference has fixed as the true ideal of benevolent giving, the standard of the Golden Rule, "As much for others as for ourselves." We therefore recommend that each church endeavor to measure up to this ideal, at the same time accepting the apportionments for benevolences as the minimum standard below which it must not and will not fall.

C. L. MEAD,
C. W. HUETT,
CHARLES ODELL THIBODEAU.

## FOREIGN MISSIONS

Owing to the world conditions of our present day, the church is confronted with a situation involving fourfold obligation to our Master's command to evangelize the world.

The war has suspended the work of the church in much of the ter-

ritory of the central powers and greatly crippled the English missions. Our own country is burdened with this increased responsibility.

We advocate increasing the regular contributions and discourage taking from gifts for foreign missions for home use.

Much more could and would be done if the people were kept informed. We urge that every pastor write to the Board of Foreign Missions for a copy of the annual report for 1916, and that each pastor urge every member of his church to take the Missionary News containing a summary setting forth the great need of our missions.

We also urge that every pastor subscribe for the "World Outlook," which will be a means of gathering the essential facts pertaining to our work upon the foreign field.

Every pastor should obtain literature from the board and put it in the hands of his people, before the every-member canvass is taken, as well as hold the anniversary meeting. The extent of our responsibility is indicated by the fact that there are 1,500 foreign missionaries in our denomination, with 13,000 native workers, 700,000 members and adherents, 346,000 Sunday School scholars. There was collected in 1916 on the foreign field, \$783,851 for all purposes.

Christian Missions hasten world democracy.

J. ALBERT DEAN, Chairman.
A. MORRISON, Secretary.

#### WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

One of the greatest forces in the new life of the Orient is found in the awakening of womanhood, which now seeks development and activity along the lines of Christian precept and example. These are being brought to them by the women who have been sent out by our own and other denominations. The staggering problem before the executive body of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society is how to answer the insistent call from the women and the children who are willing to meet almost any demand made upon them if only school may be opened and the Gospel of the Living Christ taught to their famished minds and hearts.

In every church there are young women who would dignify their own lives, bring honor to their membership, win others through their Christian personality and set in motion multiplied influences for the rapid advancement of Christ's Kingdom, if the pastor would give the needed instruction in helping them to decide upon life plans that are worth while. Our own Conference has found such young women in Miss Chilson of Pueblo, Miss Thompson and Miss Aiken of Colorado Springs, Miss Porter of Longmont, Miss Moses of Alamosa and Miss Lee of Denver, who are now in foreign lands serving most efficiently.

Therefore, we heartily commend to the pastors and churches of Colorado the work and the need of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and we earnestly pray that such messages to the young women of our churches may ring out from our pulpits that ere long, in spite of world-changing strife, there will come forth from their hearts the consecrated cry, "Lord, here am I, send me."

Respectfully submitted.

JOSIAH MARTIN, STANLEY G. CURTIS, J. M. DICKEY.

#### FREEDMAN'S AID

The department of our great church organization known as Freedman's Aid and Southern Education is not the least of the departments of the church. We note with interest the increasing efficiency with which this work is being done among our colored brethren in the South and elsewhere, due, in large measure, to better supervision and equipment of our schools provided for the colored race.

Inasmuch as the amount asked for the maintenance and strengthening of this department of education in our church is but a trifle, we respectfully urge that all the pastors of the Colorado Conference see to it that at least the amount apportioned to their various charges be paid.

BENJAMIN EITELGEORGE, Chairman,

W. W. SPEER, A. W. COFFMAN.

#### HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY

Whereas, The nation is facing a great crisis and the church is challenged to provide for the moral and spiritual needs of the army and navy; be it

Resolved, That the Colorado Conference heartily and unanimously indorse the Christian welfare program of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

That the third Sunday in September be observed by all our churches in taking an offering for the board, to be used in financing the work of the church in the army camps.

That every minister be requested to send names of enlisted Methodist men to proper chaplains.

That we encourage in every way possible the distribution of church literature among sailors and soldiers.

That we wish to express our appreciation of the efficient and statesmanlike leadership of D. D. Forsyth and his associate Secretaries, providentially called to serve the church in this dark hour of the world's history.

Furthermore, that the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension is to be congratulated upon its program for the missionary centenary,

which provides that in each Conference or District some big worth-while centenary task shall be undertaken by the Conference in co-operation with the Board.

The committee wishes, therefore, to recommend the adoption of the following centenary agreement, which is suggested by the board:

## Centenary Agreement Between the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Colorado Conference

This agreement made between the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church, hereinafter called Board, by its Corresponding Secretary and the Colorado Conference, hereinafter called Conference.

The Board hereby agrees that if the total receipts from all Conferences for the regular work of the Board, after deducting the 60 per cent to be returned and the expenses incurred in the centenary movement, in the years 1918 and 1919, respectively, shall equal the receipts by the Board for regular work in the year 1917, and in case the above named Conference shall remit to the Board for such work as much in the years 1918 and 1919, respectively, as in 1917, it will appropriate to the above named Conference not less than the same sum of money in the years 1918 and 1919, respectively, as it appropriates to it in the year 1917.

The Board further agrees to appropriate to the above named Conference in the years 1918 and 1919, respectively (in addition to the foregoing appropriation), 60 per cent of its increase in remittances to the Board for regular work in said years, respectively, above its total remittances in the year 1917, which increases shall be applied to the support of enterprises in said Conference agreed upon by the said Board and the Conference Board of the above named Conference.

It is understood between the parties hereto that the settlement upon which the Board shall make its appropriations in 1918 and 1919 shall be on the basis of the Board's records in Philadelphia and not on the basis of the minutes of the said Conference.

This agreement will not be binding until the Board in its annual meeting in November, 1917, approves it.

The remittances shall be computed for the Conference years ending in 1918 and 1919, respectively, and appropriations shall be for the years immediately succeeding.

FRANKLIN F. GIBBS, Chairman, F. E. McGUIRE, A. C. THURLOW.

## MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS

Colorado Springs—Broomfield, \$100; Black Hawk, \$90; Breckenridge, \$100; Calhan, \$80; Castle Rock, \$90; Cheyenne Canon, \$150; Cheyenne Wells, \$80; Eastern Colorado Mission, \$240; Erie, \$50; Hugo, \$50; Jefferson Avenue, \$100; Lafayette, \$100; Lakewood, \$50; Leadville, \$100; Limon, \$100; Louisville, \$100; Morrison, \$100; Oak Creek, \$140; Parker, \$100; Rockvale, \$100; Silver Plume, \$80; Steamboat Springs, \$150; Wet Mountain Valley, \$50; New Work, \$280. Total, \$2,580.

Denver—Argo, \$60; Berkeley, \$150; Clough & Wright, \$150; Englewood, \$150; Hess, \$150; John Collins, \$150; Merritt, \$70; St. James, \$200; City Missionary, \$340. Total, \$1,420.

Grand Junction—Austin, \$150; Bethel & Loma, \$150; Cedaredge, \$100; Chama, \$100; Cortez, \$200; Crawford, \$80; Debeque and Grand Valley, \$150; Dolores, \$200; Eagle and Gypsum, \$200; Glenwood Springs, \$200; Ignacio and Bayfield, \$100; Mack, \$150; Mesa and Plateau, \$150; Norwood, \$60; Palisades, \$100; Ridgeway, \$150; Uncompander-Colona, \$60; White River Ct., \$150. Total, \$2,450.

Greeley—Atwood, \$40; Evans, \$90; Grover, \$90; Hebron, \$50; Hillrose, \$50; Hudson, \$90; Johnstown, \$80; Keota, \$90; Longmont Circuit, \$70; Merino, \$50; Otis and Laird, \$100; Peckham, \$50; Pierce, \$40; South Divide, \$100; State University, \$250; Vernon, \$100; Walden, \$50; Wiggins, \$50; Byers Circuit, \$100; New Work, \$275; Kersey, \$90. Total, \$1,905.

Pueblo—Aguilar, \$50; Alamosa, \$100; Cheraw, \$30; Eads, \$80; Fountain, \$100; Goodpasture, \$100; Granada, \$100; Hasty-McClave, \$100; LaJara-Bowen, \$100; Mosca-Blanca, \$100; Sheridan Lake, \$100; Model, \$50; Stonington, \$100; Springfield, \$120; Sugar City, \$80; Swink, \$100; Bristol, \$100; Pleasant Heights, \$120; Nepesta, \$100. Total, \$1,730.

## CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATIONS

CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATIONS	
Home Missions:	
(a) Amount needed for English-speaking people  (b) Amount needed for Foreign-speaking people:  Denver (Italian) \$1,500  Pueblo (Italian) 1,000	\$10,085
Total for Foreign-speaking people	\$ 2,500
Total for Home Missions	\$12,585
Amount needed for cities of the first class:	
Denver City Society \$1,700	
Denver Colored	
Total for cities	\$ 1,850

\$15,335

Church Extension:	
Amount needed by Conference	\$ 3,400
Summary:	
1—Appropriation for Home Missions\$10,085	
2—Appropriation for cities of first class 1,850	
3—Authorization for Church Extension 3,400	

## CHURCH EXTENSION AUTHORIZATION

Total recommendations .....

Denver-Washington Park-G. L. Nuckolls	\$ 3,000***
Grand Junction—Lewis, Dolores Circuit	250
Grand Junction—Gypsum (for liquidation)	150

\*\*\* It is the understanding that this amount is not asked in a lump sum, but in three annual payments of \$1,000 each, so only \$1,000 should be charged against the credit of the Conference for this year.

Approved by the Colorado Annual Conference Sept. 3, 1917.

#### WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Colorado Conference reports an advance in every department of its work. There are now nearly 100 organizations, with about 2,500 members, with property to the value of \$150,000 and only \$33,000 indebtedness.

Beth-El Hospital and Nurses' Home at Colorado Springs, Margaret Evans' Deaconess Home in Denver and Rest Cottage for workers at Glen Park are all doing work of inestimable value to the Kingdom.

Twelve deaconesses are connected with the Deaconess Home. The society is considering extensive settlement work and the People's Chapel, Denver, is to be turned over to this cause. Approximately \$4,000 in supplies and missionary boxes have been dispensed to nearly 50 ministers of the Conference, besides aiding 34 national institutions and causes.

Receipts from all sources are more than \$47,000, an increase of over \$4,000 over last year.

While the society plans even greater work for next year, looking to the reduction of present indebtedness and increased activity along all lines, the primary interest of the members is the deepening of the spiritual life of the women of the church.

Realizing the value of the work done by this society and appreciating the contribution it has made to the work of the church, we gladly commend its present program and urge the pastors to heartily co-operate in its consummation.

E. G. ESTLOW, JOSEPH ANTLE.

## CONFERENCE STEWARDS AND PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY REPORT

The year's end finds our Conference Claimants' treasury empty. Yet the encouraging receipts during the year from Charges that make quarterly remittances encourage us to take a long forward step by paying an annuity of \$10, of the \$18 rate due, as figured uniformly by Dr. Hingeley's office for the present quadrennium. To the Jubilee Beneficiaries we still pay \$4 of the possible \$10.

## Annuities Voluntarily Relinquished for 1917 and Before

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. Honored Relinquishers		Before	Total
George H. Adams	\$	- \$ 240	\$ 240
George P. Avery	260	793	, 1053
Gratton D. Balsley		81	81
Naaman Bascom		40	40
Elizabeth P. Beardsley		40	40
Cyrus A. Brooks		36	. 36
Orlando and Nancy Gard	37	132	169
Helen J. Giller	20	16	. 36
Ruth M. Giller	20	16	. 36
Margaret F. Glockner		. 30	30
William H. Greene	80	493	573
Linville and Lydia C. Hall	217	1715	1932
Henry F. Knight		210	210
Sarah Millington	20		20
Alice J. Plested	15	75	90
Jacob R. Rader		203	203
Charles W. Shaw		. 310	. 310
Bethuel T. Vincent	100	1000	1100
Esther F. White		137	137
John R. Wood		130	130
Lynderman Wright		40	40
Two Departed Claimants			76

Total this year relinquished...... \$769

Following Conference action in 1914 and Relinquishers' requests, this total of \$769 has been placed in the Conference Permanent Fund on interest, subject to an annual interest charge on sums relinquished beginning with 1914, if needed by the respective relinquishers or their dependents no longer able to relinquish.

From the following historical table it will be noted that remittances during the year have greatly increased, certain business-like Charges forwarding quarterly. This remitting will now become widely habitual, as the Discipline now orders all four kinds of Ministerial Support put into one Budget, and payments therefrom in full or pro-rata made to each and all on every QUARTERLY SETTLEMENT DAY.

1906\$	0	1909\$	23	1912\$144	1915\$ 915
1907	3	1910	0	1913 404	1916 1163
1908	0	1911	0	1914 534	1917 2707
1918 ?					

This shows the profit of keeping everlastingly at it.

By way of encouragement, the Effective Members of the Conference should note how they have been making progress during the past 12 years toward their own support as Conference Claimants, sooner or later. The number of Claimants is at the left of the year:

25-1906\$3,001	33—1910\$6,159	57—1914\$11,378
29—1907 3,581	41—1911 8,342	64—1915 13,975
33—1908 4,547	50—1912 7,795	70—1916 15,920
38—1909 5,115	• 55—1913 9,674	69—1917 17,796
	1918?	

This again shows the profit of keeping everlastingly at it.

Our Permanent Funds are in the hands of an incorporated Society, THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL COLORADO CONFERENCE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY, which name should be used in making all wills in our favor, failure to do so being liable to divert thousands of dollars from our Claimants now and forever. COMMIT THE SAME TO MEMORY, and see under the Conference Organization the form for wills.

The larger part of these funds has been raised by the members of a dues-paying Society, known now as Jubilee Members of the Preachers' Aid Society; also by conditional subscriptions by others and relinquishments. They amount to \$38,500. The income thereon is distributed to the Retired Ministers and the widows who have been pioneers of the work in the State, and to those others who are making their contributions under the Constitution. Beside paying the expenses of the work, more than \$20,000 has been distributed to the Beneficiaries of these funds, which ultimately will be the property of the Conference as a whole. These are funds for the support of preachers retired and their dependents, and our ministers are urgently invited to make large investments therein, increasing the same to \$100,000 as soon as possible. It is the surest kind of insurance. They not only afford additional income in time of need, but after departure, their benefit goes to their younger fellow laborers.

The remaining \$7,500 of the Permanent Fund is invested for the benefit of all the Claimants of the Conference. Until it reaches \$10,000, its interest after paying expenses is added to the principal. Thereafter one-half its income will be distributed. If reliance is to be placed in any degree upon a Permanent Fund to supplement the annual apportionments to the Charges, this Permanent Fund must be rapidly increased in Colorado to a quarter of a million. The campaign is on all over the Church, and it behooves every church and member of the Conference to keep at work until the goal is reached.

## Annuity Fund Accounting

Received from Book Concern\$ 2,936	
From Charges (apportioned)	-\$13,275
Average support of Effective Members of the Conference who	
are pastors or District Superintendents, less house-rent, plus	
Missionary money (as announced by Dr. Hingeley's office	
computing for whole Church in America)	1,260
One-seventieth thereof, our Annuity Rate for Quadrennium	18
Grand Total of Minimum Disciplinary Annuity Claims on 1,373	
Annuity Years at \$18 a year	24,714
Amount of Annuities payable at \$10 (55% of the \$18)	13,730
Necessitous Fund Accounting	
Received from Connectional Fund (Chicago)	\$ 78
From Charges (apportioned)	1,996
Total for Necessities	\$ 2,074
Paid Chicago Apportionment\$541	
To Relief during year	741
Balance usable for Necessities	\$ 1,333
The Apportionment to Charges	
Total amount required by law to be apportioned	\$23,802
Actually approved by Conference and apportioned, including the	()
\$569 for Chicago Office	15,368
being 90 cents on each Grade Point as found on the "Several Ability" page for 1917.	

Remittances thereof on the Quarterly Settlement Days should be made payable to the order of the Methodist Episcopal Colorado Conference Preachers' Aid Society, and mailed to Rev. John Collins, Agent, 2224 S. Ogden St., Denver, Colo., who will return vouchers for same.

The receipts above from Charges amount to \$12,335, whereas the Conference Treasurer's figures show \$12,418, as he received money after this report was made. (W. F. Steele, Treasurer, P. A. Society.)

## **AUDITING**

The Auditing Committee have carefully examined the accounts of the Conference Board of Home Missions, of Equalizer of Fares and of the Colorado Conference Minutes, and find these accounts to be correct.

### APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1917—ANNUITY AND NECESSITOUS AND OTHERWISE

(Subject to automatic reduction or extinction at any quarter)

(A \* shows a relinquishment, wholly or in part, as shown earlier in Report, placed in the Permanent Fund. Claimants may request annual interest on amount of relinquishments since 1914.)

### Retired Ministers

	On	Annuity	Basis				1
NAME	Annuity Years	Amulty Claims at \$18	Amt. Payable at \$10	From Neces- sitous Fund	Total from Conf. Funds	From Jub. Fund and Otherwise	From All Sources
Adams, G. II. Adams, J. H. Albone, S. W.  *Avery, G. P. Bascom, Naaman Bean, E. E. Bonnell, J. G. Brooks, C. A. Coffman, J. F. Cook, T. P. Davis, J. A.  *Greene, W. H. Hornbeck, M. D. Huston, J. W. Hyde, A. B. Hiff, T. C. Knight, H. F. Knupp, Samuel Rader, J. R. Rhodes, R. H. Rose, J. W. Rutledge, R. S. Sanderson, Robert Shaw, C. W. Slutz, S. H. Spence, G. A.  *Vinc.nt, B. T. Warner, S. B. Wood, J. R. Wright, Lynderman Rice, A. W. (Funeral)	32   20   23   26   26   27   27   27   27   27   27	\$ 576 310 414 468 360 5720 648 702 540 1144 594 648 1,134 486 1190 666 396 396 398 348 342 288	\$ 320 200 230 260 360 360 380 80 80 380 430 210 150 370 90 150 220 470 410 410 190 160	\$	\$ 3°0 200 255 260 360 380 300 430 210 160 220 470 410 190 160	\$ 96 18 80  28  16 137 135 20  72 12 104 81  50 68 8  620 72 22 22 22 23 24 25 26 27 27 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28	\$ 416 218 335 260 416 497 497 496 525 320 80 402 372 734 461 210 396 384 220 248 220 248 256 256 267 268 268 268 268 268 268 268 268 268 268
Totals		\$15,246	\$8,470	\$ 225	\$8,695	\$1,448	\$10,143
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# Fatherless Children Under 16, Arranged by Date of 16th Birthday (Cheques added to Mother's)

	Father's Effect-	Annuity Claim	Amount Payable	Claim Naturally Expires
Helen Harbert		\$ 86 43	\$ 48 24	Jan. 4, 1918 Aug. 20, 1918
John B. Titmarsh. Mary Elinor Grace Marion Spencer. Etta Irene Goldie. *Ruth M. Giller. Doris Spencer. James R. Grace. Cary E. Coulter. *Helen Jean Giller	17 31 2 20 10 2 31	61 111 7 72 36 7 111 43 36	34 62 4 40 20 4 62 24 20	Apr. 18, 1920 Feb. 3, 1921 Feb. 20, 1921 Apr. 29, 1921 Feb. 10, 1922 May 24, 1922 Aug. 15, 1923 Feb. 9, 1926 Dec. 11, 1926
Totals	. 171	\$613	\$342	1

### Ministers' Widows

	On	Annuity	7 Basis				r
NAME	Years in Effect- ive Ministry	Ann. Claims at \$13.50	Amt. Parable at \$7.50	From Neces- sitous Fund	Total from Conf. Funds	From Jub. Fund and Otherwise	From All Sources
Allen, Ella L.  Barns, Sue S.  Peardsley, Flizabeth P.  Beardsley, Sarah J.  Bittner, Fmma.  Coulter, Edwinns B.  Counningham, Eugenia  Fisher, Charlotte E.  Gard, Nancy H.  Glockner, Margaret F.  Goldie, Effa A.  Grace, Cornelia S.  Grant, Mary W.  Gullette, Harrivt E.  Hall, Lydia C.  Harbert, Elizabeth G.  Herry, Elizabeth G.  Herry, Elizabeth G.  Herry, Elizabeth G.  Holm, Annie.  Holman, Elma.  mboden, Jennie A.  Millington, Sarah.  Money, Carrie E.  Nuckolls, Dora  Plested, Alice G.  Sapp, Alverna D.  Seckner, Florence I.  Smison, Nellie P.  mith, Lillie K.  Smith, Maggie.  Warner, Mary W.  Whister, Rebecca.  White, Exther F.  Zebold, Amanda.  Totals—For Widows.  For Ministers  For Orphans.  Paid to Relief Fund.	266   260   271   261   262   262   263   264   264   264   265	\$ 351 675 4590 567 121 162 144 297 67 351 270 108 230 418 392 324 418 310 297 189 324 148 310 202 27 216 392 216 392 418 310 162 27 27 216 392 418 319 216 316 316 316 316 316 316 316 316 316 3	\$ 195 375 2255 322 67 90 8 165 377 195 150 60 60 60 127 232 217 180 82 172 90 112 15 120 2217 37 52 60 232 245 15 \$4,920 8,470 342	\$	\$ 195 376 255 322 142 115 83 215 180 60 202 232 217 108 160 160 160 160 172 115 112 120 240 1112 127 150 1100  \$6,028 8,695 342 200 541	\$ 46 28 48 144  6  29  44  50 6  20 36 15  49  10  3  48  49  40 40 40  40 40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40  40 40 40  40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40	\$ 2.24   444   1.44   1

### THE JUBILEE MEMBERS OF THE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY

These are those who down to 1910 had by their initiation fees and dues helped to accumulate its fund and paid for its care, as C. A. Brooks for thirty-four years and D. D. Forsyth for late its fund and paid for its care, as C. A. Brooks for thirty-four years and D. D. Forsyth for one year before closing business in the due-paying form. In that year the Society reorganized itself the better to carry out the law of 1908 for the benefit of all members of the Conference, who were constituted members and prospective beneficiaries thereof upon doing their duties instead of paying dues. Upon retirement, accordingly, these Jubilee Members and their widows were voted entitled to a limited first use in proportionate shares of the net income of the Permanent Fund on hand in 1910, when dues stopped, as additional annuity to the Colorado pioneers beyond the Disciplinary Minimum Annuity—at present so much in default. When the income shall exceed the agreed maximum of \$10 and \$5 for each Jubilee year, the excess is to be paid in proportion to help make up any deficiency in the Minimum Disciplinary Annuity of said Jubilee Members. When it shall have served these two purposes, all excess shall be used for the Annuities of ALL Claimants of the Colorado Conference, although they paid nothing thereto in the way of fees and dues. These Jubilee years have not increased since due-paying ceased in 1910, nor are general funds added to that Jubilee Fund. By transfers, locations, deaths, these Claimants and years are rapidly decreasing. deaths, these Claimants and years are rapidly decreasing.

PRI	SENT BENEFIC	TARD	ES WITH YEARS	FU	TURE BENEFIC	LARIE	S WITH YEARS
34	C. A. Brooks	The	Widow of ,	33	John Collins	6	E. N. Edgerton
34	J. F. Coffman			29	J. F. Harris	. 6	J. Martin
33	T. P. Cook	(	½ his years)	25	A. C. Peck	6	G. S. Parker
26	A. B. Hyde			24	J. F. White	5	A. N. Chapman
25	J. R. Rader	36	H. L. Beardsley	23	A. L. Chase	5	Frost Craft
24	G. H. Adams	24	I. H. Beardsley	20	N. H. Lee	5	C. W. Hancher
18	M. D. Hornbeck	24	H. D. Seckner	18	S. H. Kirkbride	5	G. E. Konkel
18	B. T. Vincent	22	C. B. Allen	18	C. W. Simmons	,5	R. N. Smith
18	J. R. Wood	22	H. J. Grace	18	C. B. Spencer	õ	J. Q. Vermillion
17	R. Sanderson	18	F. C. Millington	18	W. F. Steele	5	C. B. Wilcox
13	R. H. Rhodes	14	R. M. Barns	1.7	G. A. Cage	.5	J. Winterbourne
7	N. Bascom	14	A. B. Glockner	17	S. A. Webber	4	John Brand
7	L. Wright	1.0	J. W. Linn	1.5	T. J. Hoover	4	A. W. Coffman
5	J. A. Davis	7	K. Money	. 15	H. M. Mavo	4	C. M. Cooper
.5	G. A. Spence	5	H. E. Warner	14	W. D. Phifer	4	H. M. Pingree
.5	S. B. Warner	4	C. G. Coulter	12	H. A. Buchtel	4	B, F, Ross
4	J. H. Adams	3	O. L. Fisher	12	L. J. Hole	3	R. E. Bird
4	J. G. Bonnell	2	Wm. John	8	R. R. Adams	3	J. M. Eldridge
4	T. C. Iliff			8	A. F. Ragatz	3	C. W. Huett
4	S. Knupp			7	R. H. Forrester	3	T. B. Tyre
4	S. H. Slutz			6	O. W. Auman	1	D. D. Forsyth
ŝ	J. W. Huston			,			15. 77, 1 OLO, CII
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	uity years now (				uity years to draw		
47.6	rage years for 21	men	14	377e	rage years for 42	men.	101/2

In 1911 the number of men beneficiaries, actual and potential, was 85.

In 1917 this number has been reduced to 64

This reduction of nearly a fourth in six years betokens how soon that of which these Jubilee Annuitants now have the usufruct will pass to the benefit of the entire body of the Claimants of the Conference.

Remember to make all drafts and wills payable to the METHODIST EPISCOPAL COLORADO CONFERENCE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY, and mail to the undersigned,

JOHN COLLINS, Agent and Secretary 2224 South Ogden, Denver, Colorado.

### SUNDAY SCHOOLS

We, the Sunday School Committee, delight in reporting the gratifying success achieved by the Board of the Sunday Schools of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

First, in securing through the Sunday Schools of our denomination the sum of \$100,000 for the American Red Cross work.

Second, for the advanced steps it has taken along the line of Teacher Training and Short Courses of Study for Adult and Senior Classes.

Third, we deem it of great importance that all pastors bring to the immediate attention of their Sunday Schools the fact that on January 1st there will be a change from the old International Lessons to the improved Uniform Series.

Fourth, the committee unreservedly recommends the adoption of the Graded Lessons.

Fifth, we find some confusion in the minds of many of our pastors as to the proper source of information concerning the organization and work of the Sunday School and respectfully request that all communications on this subject be addressed to Rev. H. M. Pingree, 2310 South University, Denver, Colorado.

Sixth, we commend in unstinted terms the useful and vigorous work of the Sunday School Superintendent, Rev. H. M. Pingree, and ask that he be continued in his present position.

ROBERT R. ADAMS, Chairman. GEO. L. NUCKOLLS, Secretary.

### TEMPERANCE

In the nation-wide warfare against the liquor traffic the signs of the times indicate that now is the beginning of the end. The United States Senate, on August 1st this year, by more than the necessary two-thirds majority vote, adopted the joint resolution to submit national constitutional prohibition to the States, and the House of Representatives will consider and act upon the Resolution at the next regular session of Congress, which convenes in December. If the House adopts the Resolution, then the scene shifts from our national capital, Washington, to the States, and each of the States becomes a battlefield. Three-fourths of the States, or 36, must ratify the amendment, by legislative action, within six years.

Therefore, Resolved,

First, That we express our complete confidence in President Woodrow Wilson and commend heartily his attitude and conduct in this matter.

Second, That we congratulate the temperance leaders in and out of Congress upon the successful consummation of their efforts to secure the submission of prohibition to the States, and we pledge our unswerving support to the Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals of our church, the Anti-Saloon League and all other temperance organizations in "seeing this thing through."

Third, That we pledge our loyal support to the Anti-Saloon League of Colorado and the other temperance forces in our own State in pro-

posed initiation and submission of a law to prohibit the possession of liquors for beverage purposes, in harmony with the federal enactment known as the Reed Bone-Dry Law.

Fourth, That we commend the extensive and valuable work of our own Wm. D. Phifer, employed as Lecturer on National Prohibition, during the past year.

Fifth, That we call attention of our churches to the growing evil of the cigarette habit and recommend careful and thorough instruction in our Sunday Schools concerning dangers thereof.

Sixth. That in view of the fact that vice conditions in the vicinity of army camps have in the past been deplorable and the source of indescribable harm, we commend our government and army officials for their efforts to prevent a repetition of past experiences in this respect.

(Signed) THE TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

Wm. Pepper, Secretary.

This certifies that by vote of the Conference as recorded on page 32 the printed Minutes of the Colorado Annual Conference were made the Official Journal thereof.

(Signed) A. F. RAGATZ,

September 3, 1917.

Secretary.

### (C) TREASURER'S REPORT

### Receipts

	Cash V	Vouchers
Board of Foreign Missions	\$ 10,086	\$ 7,917
Board of Home Missions and Church Extension	10,453	3,612
Freedmen's Aid Society	1,601	592
Board of Sunday Schools	1,358	534
Public Educational Collection	4,580	719
Children's Day Fund	421	287
American Bible Society	594	209
Board of Temperance, etc	603	177
General Deaconess Board	225	38
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	121	9,254
Woman's Home Missionary Society	9	9,138
City Missionary and Church Extension Society	392	990
Educational Endowment	25	34,903
Hospital	85	380
Iliff School of Theology	255	137
Red Cross Work	133	2,849

Colorado Conference	79
Other Benevolences         37           Annual Conference Investments         38           Central Office Expense, Epworth League         98           Support of District Superintendents         123           Support of Bishops         2,555           Support of Conference Claimants         9,601           General Conference Expenses         451           Chartered Fund         78           Book Concern for Conference Claimants         2,936	5,667 1,444 57 15,436 650 2,817 57
Total receipts	\$97,864
Grand total	\$147,539
Disbursements	
Geo. M. Fowles, Board of Foreign Missions.  Samuel Shaw, Board of Home Missions and Church Ex.  John H. Race, Freedmen's Aid Society.  Edwin R. Graham, Board of Sunday Schools.  Edwin R. Graham, Red Cross Funds.  Chancellor H. A. Buchtel, Public Education  Chancellor H. A. Buchtel, Endowment  Treasurer Board of Education, Children's Fund.  A. F. Ragatz, American Bible Society  Wm. T. Galliher, Board of Temperance, etc.  Edgar T. Welch, General Deaconess Board.  Mrs. C. G. Hickey, W. F. M. S.  Marguerite C. Aley, W. H. M. S.  Dr. O. W. Auman, City Missionary Society  Dr. C. W. Hancher, City Missionary Society  Bethel Hospital  President J. A. Beebe, Iliff School of Theology  H. R. Calkins, Christian Stewardship League.  Wm. E. Sweet, Army Y. M. C. A.  Edwin H. Forkel, Central Office Epworth League.  Geo. P. Mains, Episcopal Fund  Oscar P. Miller, General Conference Expenses  Dr. O. W. Auman, District Superintendent.  Dr. W. T. Scott, District Superintendent.  *John Collins, all Conference Claimants	\$10,086 10,453 1,601 1,358 133 4,580 25 421 594 603 225 121 9 386 6 85 255 4 33 98 2,555 451 85 17 21 12,653
Total Disbursements	\$46,858
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<sup>\*</sup> The \$541.00 apportioned to the Colorado Conference by the Commission on Finance was paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Treas-

urer of the Preachers' Aid Society, and sent by him to the Board at Chicago.

EDWARD G. INGRAHAM,

Treasurer Colorado Conference.

### (D) REPORTS-MISCELLANEOUS

### LABOR DAY

Recognizing the importance of Labor Day and believing that the Methodist Episcopal Churches in Colorado should express their interest more definitely in Labor Day programs,

Therefore, Resolved, That in the event that our next annual session includes the first Sunday in September, that the Committee on Program be requested to arrange for a fitting service in observance of the day at some hour on Conference Sunday or on the morning of Labor Day.

R. H. FORRESTER, H. M. PINGREE.

### THE RELATION OF THE CHURCH TO THE NATION

The Colorado Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church desires to express its attitude toward the national problems of the day. While we desire to record our utter disapproval of war as a method of settlement of international differences, we most emphatically declare our hearty and entire approval of the attitude of the President of the United States in his desire and effort to make the world safe for Democracy, and insure a permanent peace for the world.

As a Conference we pledge to him our unswerving loyalty for the full completion of the task. We also desire to record our entire approval of the reply of the President of the United States to the note of the Pope of the Roman Catholic Church, setting forth the principles upon which world-peace may be obtained and maintained.

We desire further to record our pleasure in the attempts made thus far by the federal authorities for the protection of the moral and religious life of our soldier boys in the training camps and cantonments of the country, and pledge our assistance to further such attempts in every possible way, and

We most respectfully request those in authority to safeguard the moral life of our young men from the influence which the liquor traffic and the commercialized social evil seek to throw around the military camps of the country.

We further desire to assure the President of the United States that

we will support his present policy of prosecuting the present war to an ultimate conclusion for permanent peace upon the basis of righteousness as expressed in his war message to Congress, and his recent reply to peace proposals of the Pope.

Believing in the ultimate triumph of righteousness in the earth and the justice of our cause as the reason for our participation in the present conflict, we herewith pledge ourselves to that end.

> A. L. T. EWERT, C. B. WILCOX, JOHN J. LACE, C. A. ROWAND.

### JUBILEE FUNDS OF PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY

Recommended that the Jubilee Members and Patrons funds be incorporated with each other upon the following terms, viz.:

- 1. That of the amount elapsed from time to time by the death or removal of Patrons and the profits received in excess of the requirements of the by-laws, the first \$1,000 shall be considered as the total amount belonging or accruing to the Jubilee Members fund and be placed therein.
- 2. That whenever the Jubilee Members fund, including the \$1,000 above mentioned, shall amount to the sum of \$36,364, it shall be considered as completed.
- 3. That when completed, in lieu of all profits the Jubilee Members fund shall receive the annual sum of \$2,181, of which sum \$2,000 shall be paid to its beneficiaries in accordance with the provisions of the by-laws and \$181 placed in the expense fund of the Society—provided, however, that whenever the total claims of Jubilee Members shall be less than \$2,000 per annum, the amount of such claims only shall be paid.
- 4. That including the sum of \$181 above mentioned not more than \$500 per annum shall be used for expenses of the two funds thus incorporated with each other.
- 5. That after paying the above sums and carrying an amount, the income of which shall be sufficient to meet the claim of all its beneficiaries as provided in the by-laws, the excess in the Patrons fund shall be placed in the Conference fund for distribution or investment as the Board of Managers may decide.

### REPORT PENIEL TRUST ASSOCIATION

The Trustees of the Peniel Trust Association beg leave to submit the following report for the year now closing:

The assets of the Association as they appeared on its books at the July meeting of the trustees amount in all to \$168,885.96.; \$48,800 of this is in the form of mining properties in Clear Creek County and of doubtful value. Negotiations have gone on throughout the year for a satisfactory lease or sale of the same, but without success to date. The remaining valuation of \$120,005.96 is in the form of unimproved lands in the San Luis Valley and Larimer County, residence properties in the city of Denver, and a valuable business property on Stout Street, opposite the Auditorium Hotel. The residence properties are all in a badly run-down condition, making it difficult to realize on rents. The Stout Street property has been heavily mortgaged for years, but it is possible that our equity will prove valuable when conditions make it salable. The income from all sources runs between \$400 and \$450 monthly. This is entirely inadequate to cover the heavy taxes, the accumulating interest charges and the open accounts which have been standing against the Association for a long time.

The balance sheet at the July meeting shows total liabilities against the Association amounting to \$43,311.30. The greater part of this is in the form of mortgages given to satisfy the claims of Mrs. Queen V. Cole, when she surrendered her annuity last year. In addition to this, is the item of unpaid taxes amounting to about \$3,500. It has been the policy of the trustees to sell from time to time small and unproductive properties to raise funds to satisfy the claims of unsecured creditors. These have been reduced nearly two-thirds in the last eighteen months. All other claims against the Association are secured by mortgages. The outcome of the Association depends upon the possibility of converting some of our larger properties into cash, which at this time seems remote. The affairs of the Trust are now in such condition that the Conference will not be involved in either financial or moral obligation in the event that its existence comes to an end.

F. R. HOLLENBACK, President.
O. W. AUMAN, Secretary-Treasurer.

# PENIEL TRUST ASSOCIATION RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1917

### Debits

Real estate sold—cash\$	3,955.00
Income, rents collected	5,590.89
Collections—notes, interest, etc	949.37
Cash on hand July 1, 1916	270.07

### Credits

Notes and mortgages payable, principal	1,102.11
Interest paid	2,358.41
Real Estate deposit refunded	25.00
Attorney Fees (retainer)	300.00
Graham Lease	1,200.00
Taxes Paid	1,738.75
Incidental Expenses	2,434.06
Office Expenses	1,014.75
Saiaries Paid (Trustees)	170.00
Liability Appropriation (old water elevator accounts),	264.38
Cash on hand July 1, 1917	157.87

\$10,765.33

### RESOLUTION CONCERNING ANNIVERSARIES

Whereas, The Colorado Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has grown to such proportions that it is increasingly difficult to find time for the various connectional and other authorized boards to present their claims, and since we have found by experience that having two or more anniversary services on a single evening is equally unsatisfactory to the boards involved and the people; be it therefore Resolved that:

First, The chair appoint a committee of three, authorized to act in behalf of the Conference;

Second, That the committee divide the regular connectional and authorized boards into two classes, and assign them respectively to the even and odd years, thus guaranteeing them ample time for their causes on alternate years;

Third, That this committee shall also constitute the Committee on the Courtesy of the Floor, and shall consider all applications for such privilege and determine whether said privilege should be granted or not. Their endorsement shall be obtained before request for time may be made of the Bishop;

Fourth, That the committee take up this matter of assignment of time with the various boards concerned, explaining the reason for such arrangement and urge them to abide by the action of Conference and as far as possible make adjustments agreeable to all concerned.

The committee is O. W. Auman, C. L. Mead and H. M. Pingree.

### THE RELATION OF THE CHILD TO THE CHURCH

Your committee desires to report that we have carefully examined those sections of the discipline and ritual which have reference to the relation of the child to the church, and, in view of the fact that those sections of the discipline have just been revised, and the statements simplified and more carefully worded, we do not feel that any further revision at this time would be opportune. Signed:

ROY L. SMITH, G. F. RASSWEILER, AUSTIN N. CHAPMAN.

### THE MOVEMENT FOR THE SALVATION OF THE LITTLE CHILD

In certain important respects the year just past has been the best in the history of the movement. There have been continued and enlarged evidences of the working of the Holy Spirit in the awakening of parenthood and the church to its doctrines and their acceptance and the spread of the interest into the foreign missionary field. One translation of the literature into a foreign language (German) is under way, and two others (Spanish and Portuguese) for the Latin-American work are in definite prospect.

We therefore ask that this Conference, within which the movement has had its birth, shall not only continue to give it moral support and elect its Board of Control, but shall also definitely encourage the spread of its literature and influence over all the territory. We submit with assurance that no similar expenditure of prayer and faith, labor and money can be more productive of good to men and Glory to God.

On behalf of the movement,

JOHN OLIVER.

# IX. Plan of Conference Examinations

# SUMMARY OF THE RULES OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINATION

(Undergraduates will please study these rules carefully.)

### (A)-Candidates for Reception on Trial

Candidates for Reception on Trial may take examinations during the year, on recommendation of their District Superintendent, under Supervisors properly appointed.

### (B)-Those in the Regular Course

- 1. Examinations shall be quarterly, on the last Tuesday in October, January, April and July. The figures (1), etc., following the title of the book in the printed schedule, indicate to which quarterly examination that particular book has been assigned.
- 2. 'No undergraduate shall be entitled to advanced classification who is delinquent or has failed to pass, in two (2) books to be studied, or three (3) books to be read, or in one (1) book to be studied and two (2) to be read. For either reception on trial, or admission in full, and for ordination as Elder, the law permits no "conditions" whatever.
- 3. Upon the complete and careful reading of each book to be read, the undergraduate shall certify that fact to the registrar.

### Miscellaneous.

- 1. All those pursuing the course of study shall contribute the sum of fifty cents per annum to defray the expenses of examinations.
- 2. All persons working in Mission Conferences, who are seeking reception on trial or are pursuing the course of study under the auspices of this Conference, shall be required to pass the examinations submitted by the Conference Board before they shall be received on trial or advanced in the year's studies, unless the examination is in course in a foreign language.
- 3. All candidates for reception on trial and all undergraduates who have not completed their examinations shall meet the examining board at the seat of Conference the day before the session opens, to close the work of the year.
- 4. The examining board shall not be required to give any examina tion or to examine or report on any written sermon or essay after the opening of the Conference session, except at the option of the Board on satisfactory reason for not appearing within the time above specified.

R. H. FORRESTER Registrar Fort Collins, Colo.

SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS

111 E. Routt, Pueblo, Colo. O. K. MAYNARD

Chairman

EXAMINERS	BOOKS TO BE	BOOKS TO BE EXAMINED IN	BOOKS TO	BOOKS TO BE READ
Adams, R. R.	Beacon Lights of Prophecy (1)		The Fact of Christ	The Church a Community Force
Ayres, R. H.	Sermons (1 to 4)		The Minister as Shepherd	
Beebe, J. A.	System of Christian Doctrine (4)		The Christian View of the Old Testament	The Preacher—His Life
Bennett, W. E.	Everyday Ethics (4)		Individual Work for Individ-	Outline of Christian Theology
Chase, A. L.	Doctrines and Discipline (4)	Socialism and Modern Social Problems (4)	Social Evangelism	
Craft, Frost	Essays (1 to 4)		The Book of Isaiah	The Methodist Review
Davis, J. A.	How to Study (1)		Winning the Fight Against Drink	The Call of the World
Edwards, J. R.	The Making of the Sermon (4)	The New Home Missions (1)	The Pastor Preacher	
Eldridge, J. M.	Life of Wesley (3)	American History (4)	Francis Ashury	
Krueger, F. T.	The Way to Win (1)	The New Book on Sociology (3)	Christianity and the Social Crisis	
Lace, J. J.	History of the Christian (Thurch (3)		Public Worship	Life of Luther
Lee, N. H.	Plain Account of Christian Perfection (4)	New Testament History (3)		Historical Geography of the Holy Land
McGuire, F. E.	The Bible in the Making (4)	Social Aspects of Foreign Missions (3)	Life of Phillips Brooks	
Pingree, H. M.	Pupil and Teacher (1)	Graded Sunday School (2)	The Church School	
Ragatz, A. F.	How We Got Our Bible (3)		Community Survey by Carroll	
Smith, Roy L.	Foundations of Christian Belief (3)	Targetting BAS	Studies in Christianity	Life of the Spirit in Modern English Poets
Stuntz, G. H.	Human Behavior (2)	Study of Comparative, Religions (2)	Education in Religion and Morals	
Tyre, T. B.	Paul and His Epistles (2)		Solving the Country Church Problem	I etters on Evangelism
Waller, A. J.	The Art of Writing English	Hastings Dictionary	History of Methodism,	-

The figures in parentheses indicate the quarter in which these examinations should be taken.

Examiners should be prompt in sending questions to the Registrar, and the students should prepare for their examinations accord-

ing to these dates. Written work on books to be read can be presented whenever it is ready.

# X. Memoirs

# Hosea L. Beardsley

Hosea L Beardsley was born June 11, 1838, at North Harpersfield, Delaware County, New York. He received his higher education at the New York Conference Seminary, the Baldwin University, Berea, Ohio, and the Iowa Wesleyan University, Mount Pleasant, Iowa. He enlisted in the Union Army, in Company I, 18th Iowa Infantry, July 7, 1862, and with his regiment soon joined the army in the southwest. He was appointed a corporal in his company, and soon after entering active service a sergeant. On January 28, 1864, he was commissioned first lieutenant and regimental quartermaster of the Second Arkansas Infantry. On October 19 of that year he resigned and was mustered out, but he remained with the army until the following February, clerking in the office of the chief quartermaster in Little Rock, Arkansas.

After leaving the army he took a business course in St. Louis, Missouri, after which he taught school for a year. He was admitted on trial in the Missouri Annual Conference in March, 1866, and after eight years of faithful service he was transferred to the Colorado Conference in 1874. He served this Conference as secretary from 1885 to 1901. In 1879 he was chaplain of the Lower House of the Colorado Legislature. He was also grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. G. T. for two terms.

He was united in marriage to Sarah J. Burgess April 22, 1869, near Knoxville, Missouri, and for over forty-six years they journeyed happily and usefully together. Six children were born to this union.

Brother Beardsley was a sound gospel preacher, a faithful, popular and much beloved pastor, and in late years was often called to conduct funeral services of former parishioners or to perform marriage ceremonies of members of their families. During his membership in the Colorado Conference, the last of his active years, he was assistant secretary of the executive committee of Denver University. He was promoted to the retired list at his own request in 1912, and for two or three years was secretary of the Veterans of the Cross Fellowship. In all the varied positions he filled, as well as in his own home, he ever manifested a sweet, gentle spirit and was greatly beloved by all who knew him.

During the fall of 1915, with his beloved companion, he made a trip to California. While there he was quite ill a part of the time. After their return home in late December last, he gradually declined until in the early evening of October 25, 1916, he calmly fell asleep in Jesus, and went to his coronation. He anticipated his going, making frequent allusions to it, but the anticipation was brilliant with Christian hope.—Joseph G. Bonnell.

# Franklin W. Imhoden

Franklin W. Imboden, pastor of Northern Avenue Church in Pueblo, Colorado, after an illness of eight days, died Christmas evening, 1916. Dr. Imboden was the son of John and Sarah Imboden, and was born at Decatur, Illinois, December 25, 1857. The following is quoted from his own hand-writing: "I was born of Christian parents who were lifelong members and workers in the Methodist Episcopal Church. I was converted at ten years of age, at which time I was baptized by sprinkling and joined the church. I was granted a local preacher's license in 1891 and in the fall of that year I joined the Central Illinois Conference on trial and was on trial two years. I was ordained a deacon by Bishop Fowler, and in 1895 Bishop Goodsell ordained me an elder."

The ministerial labors were as follows: Central Illinois Conference—Iroquois, Woodland, Mantaneo, Crescent City, Mazon and Forrest. In 1902 he was transferred to the Southwest Kansas Conference and served the following charges: Kingman, Larned, Dodge City and Medicine Lodge. In 1910 he was transferred to the Colorado Conference and served charges as follows: Wray, Bethel, Pueblo. At the session of the Colorado Conference in September, 1916, he was assigned to the pastorate of Northern Avenue Church.

Dr. Imboden was an earnest Christian minister, strong in the pulpit and more than ordinary in his pastoral work. He knew how to do constructive work and he did it. He was loved by the people of all the charges that he served. His labors were characterized by earnestness and faithfulness in every detail. In a word, he was a true Christian gentleman.

The funeral service was held in the Northern Avenue Church, conducted by Dr. C. W. Hancher, the district superintendent. Dr. O. K. Maynard, pastor of St. Paul's Church, preached the sermon. Dr. A. J. Waller, Rev. A. W. Hall and Rev. T. B. Tyre, the other Pueblo pastors, had parts in the service. Dr. Henson, pastor of the First Baptist Church and president of the Ministerial Association, read resolutions passed by that organization. The body was then taken to Decatur, Illinois, where it was buried.—O. K. Maynard.

# Mrs. Nellie L. Rice

The earthly career of Nellie L. White began in the little town of Tyre, Seneca County, New York, August 1, 1864, and came to a close in the parsonage home at Wray, Colorado, on Monday evening, May 14, 1917. She was married to the Rev. Arthur W. Rice, then a member of the Central New York Conference, on October 3, 1888. Of the six children which came to bless this union, two preceded their mother into the heavenly world. Sister Rice closed her eyes upon the world in which she had spent fifty-two years, after several years of suffering from a hidden malady, at the end of a perfect day in the springtime, surrounded by her family, consisting of her husband, her two sons-Homer of Rochester, New York, and Clinton of Chicago-and her two daughters-Gertrude and Leona. She was an earnest Christian and had a profound faith in the saving Word. She died in the triumph of the faith to which she clung so consistently through life. When the family came from York state, about ten years ago, Brother Rice became identified with the Colorado Annual Conference, and was serving the church at Wray when called upon to part with the wife of his youth. The funeral was held in the church and was in charge of the district superintendent, assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Wolf and Brown, pastors, respectively, of the Presbyterian and Disciples church in Wray, and the pastor of our church at Vernon. Following the funeral, the family entrained for the old home at Waterloo, New York, at which place interment was made in the plot where rest other members of the family. Brother Rice and family are sustained by the prayers of the kind people of Wray and those of the friends throughout the Conference.-A. L. Chase.

# Mrs. Chester T. Marsh

Mrs. Chester L. Marsh, who died within a few days of our last Conference session, was a devoted wife and mother. She had suffered many months from her disease and had battled bravely for life and health for the sake of the home and church, but when she learned that she was unable to secure this victory, she became resigned and tranquil and awaited death as some good friend and guide. She died in the full triumph of the Christian faith.

# The Conference Patriarchs

### AMMI BRADFORD HYDE

Born 13 March, 1824

Joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1837 Entered Traveling Ministry of same in 1848

### ROBERT HENRY RHODES

Born 16 October, 1830

### BETHUEL THOMAS VINCENT

Born 9 August, 1834

### GEORGE H. ADAMS

Born 9 December, 1836

# XI. Roll of the Dead

### (A) MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE

# Roll of Our Honored Dead

"They rest from their Labors; And their works do follow them."

NAME		В	RTH		D	EATH
		Date	Place		Date	Place
George S. Phillips		14, 1818	Pennsylvania	Mar.	30, 1865	Ohio
Henry C. Waltz	June	5, 1843	Indiana	May	11, 1877	Quincy, Ill.
Robert W. Manly		5, 1830	Ohio	July	15, 1883	Wenona, III.
John Wilson		6, 1843	Canada	Mar.	3, 1885	Denver
John Stocks		5, 1829	England	Sept.	19, 1886	Bald Mountain
F. C. Millington		18, 1841	New York	Dec.	27, 1887	Denver
Christian C. Zebold		6, 1856	Ohio	May	9, 1888	Monte Vista
Benito Garcia Christoval Salazar		21, 1846	New Mexico	Feb.	10, 1888	New Mexico
Edwin E. Allison	Mar.	3, 1845 3, 1857	New Mexico	Jan.	7, 1890	New Mexico
William Plested	Dec.	6, 1842	Indiana	Nov. July	9, 1892 1, 1893	Denver Trinidad
Heary C. King		20, 1848	Illinois		29, 1895	Denver
Edgar White	Sept.	15, 1861	England	July	9, 1895	Erie
John W. Linn	Aug.	13, 1855	Pennsylvania	Sept.	2, 1896	Leadville
Benj. F. Todd	Oct.	13, 1833	Ohio	Oct.	5, 1896	Castle Rock
Joel F. Smith		4, 1863	North Carolina		6, 1896	Salida
Milton F. Sapp	Nov.	12, 1845	Indiana		15, 1897	Albany, Mo.
Charles H. Koyl	Mar.	15, 1855	Ontario, Can	April	17, 1898	Denver
Daniel B. Vosseller	Oct.	23, 1856	New Jersey	Oct.	7, 1898	Longmont
Samuel A. Winsor	July	6, 1834	Rhode Island		17, 1899	Montrose
Geo. B. F. Heune	April	2, 1870	Warsaw, Ill		9, 1900	Rockvale
John L. Dyer	Mar.	16, 1812	Columbus, O		10, 1901	University Park
Daniel W. Burt	June	6, 1851	Ohio	July	27, 1902	Crockett, Texas
Isaac H. Beardsley		1, 1831	New York		3, 1902	Los Angeles, Cal.
William N. Simpson		1, 1866	Illinois	Sept.	12, 1902	Rifle
C. W. Cunningham	Nov.	7, 1873	Ohio		19, 1904	Chicago, Ill.
Stewart C. Wright	Dec.	24, 1861	Canada		14, 1904	Bowling Green, O.
Gillette C. Hillman	Aug.	20, 1869	Michigan	Oct.	3, 1905	Denver
Albert B. Glockner	Jan.	24, 1844	Indiana	July	23, 1906	Denver
John C. Gullette	Jan.	7, 1848	Indiana	July	27, 1906	Denver
John Whisler	Dec.	27, 1835	Ohio		9, 1906	Denver
John Alderson	Feb.	2, 1851 10, 1870	Iowa	Aug.	19, 1906	Leadville
Wilbur L. Decker	April	15, 1875	Iowa	Feb. Mar.	10, 1907 24, 1907	Williams, Ariz. Cisne, Ill.
Charles W. Brewer	April	8, 1835	Pennsylvania	April	17, 1907	Denver
Oscar L. Fisher	Aug.	12, 1844	Illinois	Oct.	19, 1907	Denver
Arthur E. Spencer	May.	5, 1871	Nebraska	Dec.	18, 1907	Greybull, Wyo.
Herbert Sheldon	April	22. 1855	England	Nov.	7, 1908	Goodpasture
William John	Mar.	5, 1847	England	April	6, 1910	Evans
Linville J. Hall	July	6, 1822	Massachusetts		23, 1910	Springfield, Mass.
Henry J. Grace	Nov.	29, 1854	Ohio	Sept.	30, 1911	Brighton
Grant G. Giller	April	16, 1882	New York	Dec.	4, 1911	Delta
Horace E. Warner	Mar.	1, 1855	Pennsylvania	Dec.	15, 1911	Denver
Ernest F. A. Bittner	Jan.	1, 1851	Ohio	May	24, 1912	Medford, Ore.
Orlando S. Gard	April	7. 1867	Illinois	Sept.	9, 1912	Lindsay, Cal.
James A. Johnson	Jan.	10. 1860	Indiana		8, 1913	Los Angeles, Cal.
John H. Merritt	Oct.	3, 1836	Termont		28, 1913	Boulder
Cary G. Coulter	June	30, 1868	Ohio		14, 1913	Garden Grove, Cal.
Herschel D. Seckner	Sept.	6, 1852	New York	Sept.	25, 1913	Idaho Springs

## Roll of Our Honored Bead - Continued

NAME	BI	RTH	DEATH			
NAME	Date	Place	Date	Place		
George F. Brock. Rezin M. Barns. Erastus G. Harbert. Merrick A. Head. Eugene H. Smith Howard Goldie. Arthur T. Henry. (Charles B. Allen. Robert Titmarsh. S. Edwin Grant. Robert L. Nuckolls. Hosea L. Beardsley. Franklin W. Imboden.	Aug. 29, 1830 Feb. 28, 1855 Mar. 8, 1845 Jan. 13, 1867 Oct. 25, 1875 Sept. 18, 1868 Sept. 27, 1857 April 18, 1865 June 29, 1865 June 11, 1838	Ohio West Virginia Ohio Jowa Canada Missouri Jadiana England Maryland Kentucky New York	Jupe 21, 1914 July 13, 1914 Feb. 25, 1915 Jupe 22, 1915 July 11, 1915 July 30, 1915 Nov. 3, 1915 Mar. 22, 1916 May 13, 1916 Aug. 21, 1916 Oct. 25, 1916	Denver Stockton, Cal. Denver Grand Junction Beulah Colorado City Denver Wheatridge Denver Palisades Penver		

### WIDOWS OF DECEASED MEMBERS

(Upon any change of address John Collins, 2224 South Ogden Street, Denver, Colo., should be immediately notified, as well as in case of death.)

PERSONAL NAME (MRS.)	WIDOW OF	ADDRESS
dlen. Ella	Charles B	771 S. Pearl St., Denver, Colo.
Barns, Sue S	Rezin M	1447 Corona, Denver, Colo.
eardsley, Elizabeth P		3604 Morgan Ave., Los Angeles, Calif
Beardsley, Sara J		2433 Lowell Boulevard, Denvor, Colo.
littner, Emma	Ernest F. A	Jacksonville, Ore. (Sterling Route).
oulter, Edwinna B	Cary G	937 W. 34th St., Los Angeles, Calif.
unningham, Eugenia	Charles W	255 McCullough St., Cincinnati, Ohio
isher, Charlotte	Oscar L	38 Irvington Place, Denver, Colo.
ard, Nancy H	Orlando S	Lindsay, Calif.
lockner, Margaret F	Albert B	3918 Denker Ave., Los Angeles, Calif
oldie Effa A	Howard	La Junta, Colo.
race, Cornelia	Henry J	2039 E. Evans, Denver, Colo.
rant, Mary W	S. Edwin	4239 Balto Ave., W. Philadelphia, Pa.
ullette, Harriet	John C	Fort Lupton, Colo.
Iall, Lydia C	Linville J	39 Westminster St., Springfield, Mass.
Iarbert, Elizabeth G		1614 West Ave., Fresno, Calif.
Henry, Elade P	Arthur T	8 Colorado Ave., Colorado City, Colo.
Iillman, Elma	Gilbert C	Home for the Aged, Elmira, N. Y.
mboden, Jennie A	Franklin W	1219 Pine St., Pueblo, Colo.
ohn, Annie L	William	Pierce, Colo.
ohnson, Hattie B	Jam s A	464 E. Adams St., Los Angeles, Calif.
inn, Kate B	John W	Flint, Mont.
Hillington, Sarah	Franklin C	16 Elderkin St., Potsdam, N. Y.
Ioney, Carrie E	Kenneth	Sherburn, Minn.
luckolls, Dora	Robert L	Palisades, Colo.
Plested, Alice G	William	1330 Columbine St., Denver, Colo.
Sapp, Alverna D	Milton F	113 Oregon St., Hiawatha, Kans.
seckner, Florence L	Herschel D	736 Maxwell Ave., Boulder, Colo.
Simpson, Nellie P	William N	202 E. 15th, University Place, Neb.
Smith, Lillie K	Eugene H	Grand Junction, Colo., R. F. D.
mith, Maggie		400 E. Second St., Salida, Colo.
spencer, Grace A	Arthur E	Greybull, Wyo.
litmarsh, Bertha	Robert	1400 E. Walnut, Des Moines, Iowa
Podd, Mary E	Benjamin F	
Warner, Mary W	Horace E	201 W. Green St., Urbana, Ill.
Whisler, Rebecca	John	1261 Clarkson St., Denver, Colo.
White, Esther F	Edgar	1327 Broadway, Boulder, Colo.
Zebold, Amanda	Christian C	Mosca, Colo.

# XII. Conference Sessions

# SESSIONS OF THE COLORADO CONFERENCE

-	Place	Presiding Bishop	Secretary	Statistician	Treasurer	Registrar
	Denver	AmesClark (absent)	O. A. Willard B. T. Vincent			
	Empire	Baker	W. W. Baldwin			
	Colorado City	Ames	W. W. Baldwin			
	Central	Kingslev	O. P. McMains			
	Pueblo	Ames	O. P. McMains	W. F. Warren		
	Denver	Janes	G. H. Adams	I. H. Merritt		
	Georgetown	Foster	G. H. Adams	f. H. Merritt		
	Greeley	Andrews		H. C. Waltz		
	Colorado Springs [	Bowman	J. H. Merritt	3. W. Bosworth,		
	Central	Haven	J. H. Merritt	W. L. Slutz		
	Boulder	Harris	J. H. Merritt			
-	Denver	Wiley	F. C. Millington			
_	Golden	Simpson	F. C. Millington	W. F. Warren		
	Pueblo	Merrill	F. C. Millington	W. F. Warren		
	Georgetown	Warren	F. C. Millington	W. F. Warren		
	Leadville	Wiley	F. C. Millington S	3. W. Thoruton		
	Colorado Springs	Foster	W. L. Slutz	3. W. Thornton		
	Denver	Wiley	J. H. Merritt			
	Longmont	Foss		S. W. Thornton		
	Pueblo	Andrews		J. T. Musgrove	F. C. Millington	
	Greeley	. Bowman	H. L. Beardsley	I. T. Musgrove	F. C. Millington	
	Denver	Walden	:	Wm. Osburn		
	Cheyenne, Wyo	Joyce	H. L. Beardsley	Wm. Osburn		
6881	Colorado Springs	Goodsell	H. L. Beardsley	I. W. Linn		
830	Canon City	Ninde	ij	Wm. Osburn		
891	Denver	Andrews	H. L. Beardsley:	W. P. Rhodes	J. R. Wood	
892	Pueblo	Hurst	H. L. Beardsley	J. A. Long		:
893	Trinidad	Warren	H. L. Beardsley	J. A. Long	J. W. Flesher	E.
894	Boulder	Merrill	H. L. Beardsley	J. A. Long	J. W. Flesher	ĸ
895	Denver	Foss	H. L. Beardsley	J. A. Long	J. W. Flesher	W. F. Steele
1896	Leadville	Vincent	H. L. Beardsley	J. A. Long	S. A. Webber	W. F. Steele
1897	Colorado Springs	McCabe	ij	John Collins	S. A. Webber	W. F. Steele
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### VETERANS OF THE CROSS FELLOWSHIP

BETHUEL T. VINCENT, President, General Organization. 820 Garland Building, Chicago, Illinois

### COLORADO CHAPTER

An organization of the Retired Ministers and their Wives and the Widows of Deceased Ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church residing in the Colorado Conference. Wives and Widows are associate members.

The Lists below are ever changing and incomplete. President Vincent greatly and eagerly desires from Pastors, or themselves, or anyone, the names of all such, with correct address.

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### MINISTERS' WIVES' ASSOCIATION

The business and social meeting of the Association was held in the Carnegie Library, at Salida, Colorado, August 30, 1917, The President, Mrs. A. L. Chase, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Josiah Martin was elected Secretary. Mrs. F. E. Hornbeck gave an impromptu address, prospective and retrospective of the Association since its formation at Boulder. In all these years Mrs. Hornbeck has been absent only three consecutive years, consequently, her address was very helpful and interesting.

Mrs. E. N. Edgerton discussed Parsonage Efficiency in an able and practical manner. "The parsonage is not the workshop of the church," was a thought brought out very clearly.

Miss Owens, a deaconness of Denver, discussed "The Parsonage and Church," in a very pleasing manner.

After a unanimous vote of thanks to the ladies of Salida, who so ably contributed to the enjoyment of the Association, the Society adjourned.

President-Mrs. A. L. Chase, Colorado City.

Vice-President-Mrs. C. W. Huett, Trinidad.

Secretary-Mrs. Josiah Martin.

Treasurer-Mrs G. W. Cook, Palisades.

MRS. F. W. IMBODEN, Secretary, 1239 East Orman Ave., Pueblo, Colo.

### THE SISTERHOOD OF DEACONESSES

Lelia Barnes	Violet M. Leach	Beulah Rayson
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Anna Burgess	Cleo Nesbit	Cornelia Rodenfels
Irene Cummings	Leona Osterhout	Rhoda Sigler
Mary Harrison	Reva Owen	Rena W. Stevenson
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# Benefactors' Memorial

### In Grateful Recognition

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### BENEFICIARIES

the Retired Ministers, Widows and Orphans

### THE PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY

of the Colorado Conference
(embracing all members thereof)
publish the following beginning of a list of Contributors of at
least One Thousand Dollars to its Permanent IncomeProducing Funds

John A. Clough	\$5,000.00
Linville J. and Lydia C. Hall	1,507.00
Dan H. Pike	1,100.00
Bethuel T. and M. Ella Vincent	1,100.00
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### FORM OF BEQUEST

> Address all communications touching gifts to The Rev. John Collins, 2224 South Ogden Street, Denver, Colorado

# XIII. Miscellaneous

### WHERE TO SEND COLLECTIONS

Board of Foreign Missions, George M. Fowles, Treasurer, 150 Fifth Ave., New York City.

Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Samuel Shaw, Treasurer, Arch and Seventeenth Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Freemen's Aid Society, John H. Race, Treasurer, 420 Plum St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Episcopal Fund, George P. Mains, Treasurer, 150 Fifth Ave., New York City.

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Board of Sunday Schools, Edwin B. Graham, Treasurer, 150 Fifth Ave., New York City.

American Bible Society, William Foulke, Treasurer, Bible House, Astor Pl., New York City.

General Conference Expense Fund, Oscar P. Miller, Treasurer, Rock Rapids, Iowa.

Board of Temperance, Prohibition, and Public Morals, William T. Galliher, Treasurer, 204 Pennsylvania Ave., S. E., Washington, D. C.

General Deaconess Board, Edgar T. Welch, Treasurer, Westfield, N. Y. Board of Education of University of Denver, H.A. Buchtel, Chancellor, University Park, Denver, Colo.

Beth-El Hospital, C. E. Mogg, Superintendent, Colorado Springs, Colo. Conference Claimants: Make drafts (or wills) payable to The Methodist Episcopal Colorado Conference Preachers' Aid Society, and mail same to Rev. John Collins, Agent and Secretary, 2224 South Ogden St., Denver, Colo., informing him at the same time whether remittance is for

- 1. Support of Colorado Conference Claimants as apportioned yearly to the Charges; or
- 2. Investment in the Conference Permanent Fund for benefit of same; or
- 3. The Board of Conference Claimants at Chicago, for the benefit of all the Claimants of the Church.

Iliff School of Theology, James A. Beebe, University Park, Denver, Colo.

W. F. M. Society, Mrs. C. G. Hickey, 202 E. Ellsworth St., Denver, Colo.

## THE "SEVERAL ABILITY" FOR 1917

of the Conference, Districts and Charges, as figured by the Commission on Finance at Chicago from the figures reported by Pastors and Charges themselves in the latest available Minutes (1916), showing where the relative strength lies and what is their "SEVERAL ABILITY." From 1914 to 1915 the Conference and every District advanced. From 1915 to 1916 the Conference and all the Districts but two. This Conference advance in 1914-15 was 3%; in 1915-16 it was 2½%. In 1916-17 it will be much more.

Whole Conference Grade Points....16,644 16,244 or 1/100 strength of whole Church

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First, Colorado Springs	846	Akron
Warren Memorial, Denver	454	Littleton; Merritt-Edgewater, Denver 64
Fort Collins	387	Brighton 62
Grant Ave., Denver	378	Bristol 61
Greeley	363	Cedaredge; Rifle 60
Canon City	362	Berkeley, Denver
Boulder	322	Wheatridge 58
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Christ Church, Denver	297	Goldfield; Gunnison; Leadville 56
Asbury, Denver	281	Vernon Ct.: La.Jara 54
Grace and Evans Memorial.	284	Bethel-Debegue 53
Sterling	279	Sugar City; Ridgway-Colona; Hess, Denver; Engle-
Grand Junction	278	wood, Derver
University Park, Denver	264	Eads: Aspen
Rocky Ford	246	Vineland-Avondale; Hugo
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Loveland	234	
Pueblo, First	231	Crawford; Merino-Messex
Cameron, Denver	225	Holly; Platteville
Pueblo, St. Paul	222	Burlington; Springfield
Longmont, First	214	Alamosa; Dolores; Castle Rock; Steamboat Springs;
Trinidad	212	Cripple Creek
Fort Morgan	200	Hillrose; Mesa-Plateau City 44
La Junta	179	Austin; Box Elder43
Lamar	178	Cortez; John Collins, Denver; Clough-Wright, Den-
Highlands, Denver	177	ver 42
Monte Vista	175	Norwood 41
Colo. Springs, St. Paul's	154	Cheraw; Eagle-Gypsum; Louisville; Limon; Chey-
Delta	147	enne Wells 40
Park Hill, Denver	144	Broomfield; Johnstown; Granada 39
Washington Park, Denver	143	Argo-Greenwood, Denver
	137	Silver Plume
Julesburg		Longmont Ct.; Glenwood Springs; Jefferson Ave.,
Salida	137	
Montrose	135	Denver
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### THE "SEVERAL ABILITY" FOR 1917—Continued

Colorado City	132	Kersey	. 34
Wray	122	Walden-Hebron	33
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Pueblo, Northern Ave	111	Barnum; East Colorado Mission	30
Fruita	108	Aguilar; Evans	
Manzanola	106	Breckenridge; Chama; Oak Creek; Wiggins	
Las Animas	102	Fountain	26
Holyoke	101	Grand Valley; Ignacio-Bayfield; Erie; Berthoud;	
Eaton	100	Pierce	25
		Hudson	23
Epworth, Denver; Golden	97	Loma-Mack; Uncompangre; Grover	22
Simpson, Denver; Asbury,		Clifton; Longmont-Grace Rural	21
Colo. Springs; Bethel,		Lyons-Grace; Blanca; Morrison	20
Pueblo	96	Mosca; Blackhawk	19
Wiley	93	Rockvale; Welby; People's Mission, Denver	18
Brush	88	Sheridan Lake; Platner	17
Fort Lupton	84	Bennett; Keota; Parker	16
Italian Mission, Denver	81	Peckham	14
Durango; Pagosa Springs;		Model	13
Hotchkiss; Fowler	80	Colorado Springs, Stratton Park	11
Arvada; Sedgwick; 5th Ave.,		Good Pasture	10
Denver	78	St. James and Millison	8
Olathe; Idaho Springs; Flor-		San Luis Valley; Pueblo Missions	7
ence; Fleming	75	Ute Pass	8
Palisades; Center; Central	72	Cheyenne Canon; Hartman; Lafayette; Pawnee Ct.;	
Victor; Yuma	71	Stonington; Prowers; left to judgment of District	

# XIV. Historical

### DELEGATES TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

Year	Ministerial	Reserve	Lay .	· Reserve
1864	None chosen		(Not eligible)	
1868	J. L. Dyer	W. M. Smith	(Not eligible)	
1872	B. T. Vincent	George Murray	John Evans	Samuel Elbert
1876	B. F. Crary	G. H. Adams	John Evans	W. A. Burr
1880	B. F. Crary		John Evans	E. T. Alling
1884	Earl Cranston	F. C. Millington	John Evans	E. T. Alling
1888	Earl Cranston	J. H. Merritt	J. W. Lacey	Mrs. O. L. Fisher
	D. H. Moore		John Evans	E. T. Alling
1892	Earl Cranston	J. H. Merritt	John Evans	J. A. Clough
	N. A. Chamberlain		H. T. DeLong	J. E. Downey
1896	Earl Cranston	TIT THE CHICAGOCKIONING	Z. X. Snyder	J. R. Robinson
1000	D. L. Rader		J. W. Gilluly	B. L. Olds
1900	D. L. Rader	R. A. Carnine	J. W. Gilluly	B. L. Olds
	W. F. McDowell H. E. Warner	W. C. Madison	I. M. DeLong	Z. X. Snyder
1904	H. A. Buchtel			William Lennox Mrs. R. H. Beggs
1001	R. A. Carnine		E. J. Wilcox B. L. Olds	A. R. King
	R. A. Chase		H. G. Shuck	I. M. DeLong
1908	C. B. Spencer		A. H. Dunn	W. L. Hartman
2000	W. D. Phifer			E. J. Wilcox
	R. A. Chase			W. A. Marsh
	H. A. Buchtel			
1912	H. A. Buchtel	D. D. Forsyth		B. F. Salzer
	R. A. Chase	C. B. Spencer	T. P. Barber	L. Wirt Markham
	F. R. Hollenback	J. J. Lace		William Conklin
	C. B. Wilcox			
1916	D. D. Forsyth		Edward Fair	H. G. Thomas
	A. L. Chase		M. F. Miller	W. L. Hartman
	M. N. Smith		Mrs. D. B. Wilson	A. W. Warren
	J. J. Lace		W. C. Williams	

Methodism in what is now Colorado was filed upon when Bishop Scott, on April 18, 1859, read out "Pike's Peak and Cherry Creek" as one of the appointments "to be supplied" in the Kansas and Nebraska Conference, which body has since waxed to eight large Conferences. It was forthwith prospected and staked by Goode, Adriance and Reitze the following summer. March 15, 1860, it was styled the Rocky Mountain District of said Conference. From March 21, 1861, to July 10, 1863, it appeared as the Rocky Mountain District of the Kansas Conference.

Under enabling act of the General Conference of 1860, on July 10, 1863, it was organized as the Rocky Mountain Conference: Six preachers, 241 members, 32 probationers, 14 local preachers, 10 Sunday Schools, officers, teachers and scholars, 1 church worth \$300, 1 parsonage worth \$400.

In May, 1864, the General Conference changed its name to the present Colorado Conference. At times it has had a Dakota District, a Santa Fe District and a Wyoming District, by reason of which last fact it held its session of 1888 at Cheyenne, Wyoming, at which time the Wyoming Mission came into existence, which in 1914 became the Wyoming State Conference, transferring 9 Coloradoans as Charter Members. The Spanish New Mexico work became a Conference with 30 members in 1893. Since 1883 its boundaries have been practically those of the State of Colorado, Chama, in New Mexico, being included for railway convenience in 1900.

### QUINQUENNIAL HISTORICAL MEMORANDA

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Year	Full Connection	Second Year's Proba.	First Year's Proba.	Deaths	Transfers	Withdrawals	Locations	Expulsions	Supernumerary and Retired	Work "To Be Supplied"	Members—Including Non residents	Preparatory Members	Number of Schools	Officers, Teachers and all Scholars	umber of Parsonages	alue	Number of Churches	Value	Ministerial Support	For All Purposes
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1888	85		6	3	1	1		1	8	22	5863	791	91	9852	37	72475	61	513150	69936	9920
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### DIRECTORY AND PASTORAL AND ANNUITY RECORD OF TRAVELING PREACHERS IN THE COLORADO ANNUAL CONFERENCE

(All Post Offices are in Colorado, unless otherwise stated.)

(Exactness as to ANNUITY RECORDS is vital to all, that none wrong or be wronged—though appreciated to the full only by the dead and their survivors. Corrections with proof and the completion of defective data greatly desired.)

Record gives work done only as a Traveling Preacher having Annual Conference connection and appointment.

KEY to Annuity acquisition and computation. The data enable to keep computed to the second for all Claimants, present or prospective, the Annuities accrued or to accrue, showing as they do—

- 1. By first star (\*), the date whence Effective Years service begins for the Retiring Minister and for his minor Orphan; and also
- 2. By second star the date whence a surviving Widow's Annuity Years will be reckoned. When together (\*\*) she was married on his entering a Conference, and her years will equal his; and also
- 3. By a day and month following his name in conspicuous parentheses, as (2Mr) —, his Mid-Year Annuity Day, on which at noon in the Effective Relation an Annuity Year becomes acquired, passing as one does at that moment from a minor fraction of a year's service to the Church to a major fraction, regardless of whether in a fall or spring Conference, and of transfers between them; and also
- 4. By a dated star out out, the death of a wife; while a subsequent second star shows a remarriage with date. Where a wife's Annuity Years are less than her husband's, the second star shows date of beginning, with her six-months-later Mid-Year Annuity Day in the year following with bold-faced unit. Thus (\*2Ja2J1)05 shows her married Jan. 2, 1905, and her Mid-Year Annuity Day as July 2, 1905; whereas 05(2No2My)—6 shows her married Nov. 2, 1905, and her acquisition of an Annuity Year on May 2, 1906.
- 5. By bold-faced UNITS, the Annuity Years acquired by either on their Mid-Year Annuity Days to date of issue of Minutes, to which add one if a Mid-Year Annuity Day has passed since then; and also

6. By cryptic signs below in parentheses the date of birth of possible Orphans now alive under 16 years who would become Claimants on father's death.

DOLLARS DEPEND upon exactness and completeness of these date to the day. Upon the death of one not Refired, from these data a Quarter's Annuity is computed for the next mail. ACCORDINGLY

### NOTIFY IMMEDIATELY OF MARRIAGE—BIRTH—DEATH

The BUREAU OF UNIFORM ANNUITY RECORDS,

2161 South Josephine Street, Denver, Colorado.

- ADAMS, George H. (13Mr) Ill., Wainsville-McLean, \* 268e59; DeWitt, 60-1; Marva, 62; Hillsboro, 63-4; Champaign, 65-6; Colo., Central City, 67-8-9-70; Greeley, 71; Northern Dist., 72-3-4-5; Agt. Central City Church, 76-7-8; Supt. Arizona Mission, 79-80-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-90; Retired, 12Ju91 (Phoenix, Ariz.)
- ADAMS, John H. (18Se) St. Louis, Gainsville, \* 18Mr89; Willow Springs, 90-1; Salem, 92; Cuba, 93; Huntingdale, 94; Deepwater, 95; Lewis, 96; Alberta, 97; Windsor-Leeton, 98-9-1900; Montrose, 01; Colo., Crawford, 02-3; Sedgwick, 04; Snyder-Hillrose, 05; Pleasant View, 06; Nederland, 07; Grover, 08; S'v, 09; Retired, 3Se10 (\*14Se16) (Warrenton, Mo. RFD6)
- ADAMS, Robert R. (1Mr) Colo., Gunnison, \*Se99-1900-1; Berkeley, D'r, 02-3; Merritt Memorial, D'r, 04-5; Idaho Springs, 06-7 (\*6Se6Mr); Bethel, Pucblo, 08-9; Golden, 10; Asbury, Colorado Springs, 11; Fort Lupton, 12-3-4; Del Norte, 15-6; Holly, 17 (220c10; SMyl3)
- ALBONE, Samuel W. (6Ju) Colo., Appointed in Nevada Mission, Bodie-Bridgeport, 5Au89-90; Greeneville, 91-2; Independence, \*\*6De93-4; to Austin Conf. and back, Bodie-Bridgeport, 95-6-7-8-9-1900; Austin, 01-2-3; Truckee, 04-5-6; Granada (Colo.), 07-8-9-10; Wyoming Mission, Basin, 11-2-5; Wyoming State Conf., Basin, 14; Colo., Upton, Wyo., 15; Retired, 1Se16—— (730 W. Warren, D'r)
- AMERMAN, Dorr (3Mr) Colo., Atwood-Merino, 06.\*\*3Se7; Fleming, 08; Longmont Ct., 09; Rinn-St. Vrain, 10; Sedgwick-Ovid, 11-2; At School, 13-4; Sy, 15-6-7 (5110 Lennox St., Inglewood, Calif.) (13J108; 22My12; 18No13)
- ANTLE, Joseph (7JI) St. Johns River, Orange City, \*\*1Fe07-8; Lawtey, 09-10-1; Tarpon Springs, 12-3-4-5; Colo., Las Animas, 16-7 (280c07; 20Fe11; 15JI15)
- AUMAN, Orrin W. (22Fe) Nw. Iowa, Farnhamville, \*28Se1900-1; Colo., Goldfield, 02 (\*5Jl5Ja); Lamar, 03-4-5-6; First, Pueblo, 07-8-9; Grant Ave., D'r, 10-1-2-3-4; Denver Dist., 15-6-7 (212 Guardian Trust Bldg., D'r) (10N003)
- AVERY, George P. (27Mr) Central New York, Sterling, \* 24Se77-8; Owasco, 79-80-1-2-3; Palmyra, S4; First, Auburn, 85-6; Cortland, 87-8-9; Minn., Central, Winona, 90-1-2; Colo., Aspen, 93; Minn., Rochester, 94-5; Colo., Fort Collins, 96-7-8-9; S'y, 1900-1-2-3 (\*e3fl54a); Assistant, Fort Collins Ct., 04; Box Elder, 05-6; Fort Collins Ct., 07-8; S'y, 09-10-1-2; Retired, 5Se13— (Fort Collins) (23Se04)
- AYRES, Rollin H. (16Se) S. Kans., Richmond, \*\*12Mr1900; N. Ottawa, 01-2; Colo., Asbury, Colorado Springs, 03-4-5-6; La Junta, 07-8; Supt. Wyoming Anti-Saloon League, 09-10; Warren Church, D'r, 11-2; Sterling, 13-4-5-6-7 (12De02)
- BAINBRIDGE, James T.—(14Jl)—Ark., Judsonia, 1900; Harrison, 01; Bentonville, \*\*14Ja02-3; Russellville, 04-5; Stuttgart, 06-7-8; Lynn-Memorial, Little Rock, 09; Sunday School Missionary, 10; St. Louis, Maywood, Kans. City, 11-2-3-4; Colo., Holyoke, 15-6; Asbury, D'r, 17 (2215 W. 30th Ave.)
- BALSLEY, Gratton U.—(30Mr)—W. Va., Elkins, 95-6; Short Creek-W. Liberty, \*\*30Se97-8.9-1900; W. Union, 01-2; Point Pleasant, 03; Ohio, New Straitsville, 04-5; Colo., Victor, 06; Las Animas, 07-8; S'y, 09-10; Retired, 11-2; S'y, 13-4-5-6-7 (Gypsey, W. Va. (14Fe08; 6Jl11)
- BARKER, Oliver E.—(2Ap)—Pittsburg, W. Pittsburg, \*\*80c06-7; At School, 08; Colo., Lyons-Hygiene, 09-10; Harkness Heights, 11; Ordway, 12-3-4; Asbury, Colorado Springs, 15-6; Haxtun, 17 (10c05; 1Se08; 5Ap10)
- BASCOM, Naaman—(27Mr)—S. Ill., Golconda, \*\*27Se76; New Liberty. 77-8; Inka, 79; Patoka, 80-1; Kinmundy, 81-2; Odin, 84; Enfield, 85-6; Marion, 87-8-9; Colo., Monte Vista, 90-1; Ouray, 92; S'y, 93-4; Utah Mission, Murray-Bingham, 95; Logan, 96-7; Retired, 27Au98———— (Vandalia, Ill.)

- BASHAM, Ceil D.—(1Mr)—Mo. Cleremont, 09; Fillmore, 10; Colo., Austin, 11-2; Ignacio-Bayfield, 13.\*\*1Se4; Crawford, 15-6; DeBeque-Grand Valley, 17 (25Mr16)
- BEAN, Edward E.—(13Mr)—Ill., Sidney, \*12Se93(\*23De23Ju)-4; At School, 95-6-7; Colo., Monte Vista, 98-9; University Park, D'r, 1900-1; Assistant, Christ Church, D'r, 02; Assistant, Grant Ave., D'r, 03; Assistant, City Missions, D'r, 04-5; Colo. Anti-Saloon League, 06-7; S'y, 08; Park Hill, D'r, 09-10; S'y, 11-2; Retired, 5Se13——(2290 S. Cook, D'r)
- BEEBE, James A.—(15Mr)—Des Moines, Highland Park, Des Moines, \*218e03.4-(\*26My26No)5; At School, 06; New Hampshire, Newport, 07-8; St. Paul's, Manchester, 9; Rock River, Englewood, Chicago, 10-1-2-3-4; President Iliff School of Theology, 15; Colo., President Iliff School of Theology, 16-7 (2100 S. Josephine, D'r) (16Ap06; 22Ja11; 8Ju14; 280e16)
- BELL, William E.—(15Mr)—Ill., Sadorus, \*\*20Se09; Monticello, 10-1-2; Rantoul, 15-4; Colo., St. Paul's, Colorado Springs, 15; University Park, D'r, 16; Park Hill, D'r, 17 (4529 E. 18th Ave.) (15No03)
- BENNETT, William E.—(3Ap)—N. Minn., Royalton, \*\*80c1900-1; Minn., Dover, 02-3; Olive Branch, Winona, 04-5-6; Colo., Basalt-Carbondale, 07; Durango, 08-9; St. Paul's, Colorado Springs, 10-1-2-3-4; Interdenominational Training Institute, Chicago, 15; Conference Evangelist, 16-7 (5029 W. 32nd, D'r) (17Au05)
- BIRD, Robert, E.—(25Mr)—Central Ill., At School, \*24Se94; Roberts-Thawville, (25Au) 05-6; Buckingham, 97; Ninth St., Rock Island, 98; Colo., Vineland, 99; Goldfield, 1900; Ouray, 01 (\*2Se2Mr)-2-3; Fruita, 045-6; Asbury, Colorado Springs, 07-8; Fowler, 09-10; Manzanola, 11-2-3; Las Animas, 14; Brush, 15-6-7
- BONER, John H—(22Se)—St. Louis, Shelden, \*\*27Mr05; Alba-Neck City, 06-7; Carthage Ct., 08; Hume-Foster, 09; S. Kans., Greeley, 10; Redfield, 11-2; Toronto, 13; Colo., Hugo, 14; Burlington, 15-6; On Leave, 17 (Hugo) (29Ja04)
- BONNELL, Joseph G.—(20Mr)—Ill., Payson Ct., \*20Se69; Pittsfield, (12My) 70; Old Town, 71; Versailles, 72; Barry, 73-4; Browning, 75; Naples, 76; Astoria, 77-8; Plymouth, 79; Financial Agent, Chaddock College, 80-1.2-3-4-5-6; Warsaw, 87-8; St. Johns River, Lawtey, 88-90-1-2-3; De Land, 94-5; S. Ill., Harrisburg, 96; President Haward College, 97-8; Epworth, 99-1900-1-2; Colo., Eagle, 03-4; Argo, D'r, 05-6; Morrison, 07; Newcastle, 08; Retired, 6Se09—(\*10No10) (248 Fox, D'r)
- BOWMAN, Orlando M.—(4Se)—Kans., Vermillion, \*5Mr90; (Data defective and desired) (Ft. Collins, R. F. D.)
- BRAND, John—(1Mr)—Colo., Louisville, \*12Se03; Pleasant View, 04 (\*22De22Ju)-5; Hillrose, 06-7-8; Atwood-Merino, 09; Castle Rock, 10-1; Burlington, 12-3-4; Sugar City, 15-6; Vineland-Avondale, 17 (P. O. Pueblo, R. F. D.) (25Jl07; 17No10)
- BRAWN, James G.—(5Mr)—Colo., Oak Creek, \*\*30Au12; Silver Plume, 13-4; Berkeley, D'r, 15-6-7 (4185 Sheridan Boulevard, D'r) (21Ja07; 170c08)
- BROOKS, Cyrus A.—(29Ja)—Colo., Wet Mountain Valley, \*\*23J172; Franktown-Plum Creek-Bijou, 73; Castle Rock, 74; Colorado City, 75; Fort Collins-Big Thompson, 76-7; Fort Collins, 78; Black Hawk, 79-80; Morrison, 81; Silver Citif, 82-5; Leadville, 84-5; Longmont, 86; Evanston, Wyo., 87; Gunnison Dist., 88-9; Salida Dist., 90-1-2-3; Golden, 94-5; Fort Lupton, 96-7-8-9-1900; Windsor, 01-2-3; Fort Morgan, 04-5-6-7; Retired, 38e08—(2110 S Columbine, D'r)
- BUCHTEL, Henry A.—(6Mr)—Nw Indiana, Zionsville and Northfield, 9Se72; Missionary to Bulgaria and also Locust St., Greencastle, \*\*10Se73-4-5; N. Indiana, Knightstown, 76-7-8; Grace, Richmond, 79-80-1; Nw Indiana, Trinity, Lafayette, 82-3-4; Colo., Evans Mem., D'r, 85; Lawrence-Trinity, D'r, 86-7-8-9-90; Se Indiana, Central, Indianapolis, 91-2-3-4-5; N. Y. East., Mount Vernon, 96; Newark, Calvary, E. Orange, 97-8-9; Colo., Chancellor Univ. of Denver, 1900-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (2100 S. Columbine, D'r)
- BULLOCK, Maurice L.—(31Mr)—Idaho, At School, 11-2-3-4-\*\*31Se5-6; Colo., Hess Church, D'r, 17 (2959 York)
- BURR, Edward S.—(18Mr)—Neb., Germantown, \* 24Se94; Stockham, 95; Harvard, 96; Lawrence, 97-8; Hardy, 99; Hardy-Byron, 1900; Doniphan, 01; Arborville, 02; Waco, 03; Utica, 04; Ceresco, 05; Cedar Bluffs, 06; Cook-Mt. Hope, 07; Cook, 08; Shickley, 09; Carleton, 10; Blue Hill, 11-2; McCool, 13; Lawrence-Mt. Clare, 14; Lawrence, 15; Colo., Alamosa, (\*1Ja1Jl) 16; Sugar City, 17

- CAGE, Gustavus A.—(26Ja)—Colo., Rawlins, Wyo., \* 26J190-1-2-3; Erie, 94 (\*20c2Ap); No Appointment, 95; Bald Mountain, 96; Sterling, 97-8-9; Utah Mission, Provo. 1900-1; Georgetown, 02-3; Simpson, D'r, 04; S'y, 05-6-7-8-9; Aguilar, 10; Holly, 11-2; Central City, 13; Sedgwick, 14-5; Arvada, 16-7
- CARROLL, Charles E.—(4Ap)—N. Neb., Homer, \*40c05; Creston, Humphrey-Lee, (\*12Fe12Au)6-7; Hartington-Crofton, 08; Beemer, 09; Neb., Emmanuel, Lincoln, 10-1-2; Colo., Simpson, D'r, 13-4; Fifth Ave., D'r, 15-6-7 (465 Galapago, D'r) (16Ap07; 23Ap09)
- CARSON, John T.—(14Mr)—S. Ill., Alton, \*11Se01; Okawville, 02; Des Moines, Jamison, 03(\*21Oc21Ap); Griswold Ct., 04; W. Neb., Arapahoe, 05; Gothenburg, 06-7; Ansley, 08; St. Johns River, Eau Gallie, 09-10; Wisc., South Milwaukee, 11; Ill., Redmond, 12; Toledo, 13; Colo., Ridgway, 14; Olathe, 15-6; Del Norte, 17 (1Au04; 9Fe07; 23Fe09)
- CATES, Silas L.—(80c)—N. Indiana, Hillsburg, \*13Ap03-4; North St., Kokomo, (\*18Ap-18Oc)05; Wyo, Mission, Cody, 06; Topeka, 07; At School, 08-9; Nappanee, 10-1-2-3-4; Greenfield, 15; Newcastle, 16; On leave, 17; Colo., University Park (2085 S. Columbine, D'r) (23J110; 14Au14)
- CATTERALL, Henry J.—(2Mr)—Colo., At School, \*2Se13; Parker, 14; Limon, 15(\*7Se7Mr)-6; Utah Mission, Liberty Park, Salt Lake City, Utah, 17 (6Jl16)
- CHAPMAN, Austin N.—(22Fe)—Colo., Ouray, \*\*22Au1900; Wright Memorial, D'r. 01-2; Clough and Wright Mems., 03-4; Assistant City Missions, D'r. 05; Epworth Church, D'r. 06-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (8015 Curtis, D'r)
- CHASE, Augustus L.—(15Ja)—Upper Iowa, Allison and Dumont, \* 15J185; Sumner, 86; Colo., Grand Junction, 87; Salida, 88.9; Black Hawk, 90; S'y, 91; Silver Plume, 92; Fort Lupton, 93(\*18Oc18Ap)-4; Wheatridge, 95-6-7; Florence, 98; Loveland, 99-1900-1; Cameron, D'r, 02.3-4; Longmont, 05-6-7; Fort Collins, 08; Greeley Dist., 09-10-1-2-3-4; Canon City, 15; Colorado City, 16; (renamed) Trinity, Colorado Springs, 17
- CLARK, William F.—(1Mr)—Colo., Dolores, \*\*1Se09; Cortez, 10; Littleton, 11-2-3; Florence, 14; Salida, 15-6-7 (10Ap11)
- COFFMAN, Arthur W.—(24Fe)—Colo., Loveland, 80; Evans and Windsor, \* 28J183; Arvada, 84; In Congregational Ministry; Re-admitted to Full Membership in W. Neb. by Bishop Bowman, Curtis, 58e90; McCook, 91-2-3; Gothenburg, 94; Gibbon, 95-6-7-8; Neb., La Selle St., Beatrice, 99; Juniata, 1900; S'y, 01-2; Giltner, 03; S'y, 04-5-6; Colo., Evans, 07-8; Akron, 09-10; Kersey, 11-2-3; Longmont Ct., 14-5-6; Lyons-Hygiene, 17
- COFFMAN, James F.—(28Ja)—Colo., Idaho-Empire, \*\*26Jl73; Idaho-Nevada, 74; Longmont, 75-6; Laramie, Wyo. Mission, 77-8-9; Breckenridge and Kokomo, 80; Breckenridge, 81-2; Gunnison, 83-4-5; Durango, 86-7-8-9-1900; Fort Collins, 91-2-3-4-5; Cameron, D'r, 96; Central City, 97-8-9; Idaho Springs, 1900-1-2; Eaton, 03-4-5-6-7-8; Retired, 6Se09—(Pierce)
- COFFMAN, Laurence W.—(8Mr)—Colo., Johnstown, 11; Box Elder, \*\*6Se12-3-4; Central City, 15-6; Swink, 17 (16Ja07; 7Se08; 30De14)
- COLLETT, William E.—(20Mr)—Central Ohio, Archbold, \*20Se87(\*2No2My)-8-9-90; Bradford, 91-2; Colo., Holyoke, 93-4; La Junta, 95-6; Durango, 97-8-9; Leadville, 1900-1-2; S'y, 03; Supt. Society for Friendless, 04-5; Colorado Prison Association, 06-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (The Capitol, D'r)
- COLLINS, John—(15Ja)—Colo., Erie and Valmont, \*15Jl76; Platteville, 77; Morrison, 78-9-80; Castle Rock, 81-2-3; Como and South Park, 84; Morrison, 85-6-7; Rocky Ford Ct., 88; South Denver, 89-90-1 (\*4De4Ju)-2-3; Suburbs, D'r, 94-5-6; La Junta Ct., 97; Assistant, Trinity, D'r, 98-9; Financial Sec., Trinity, D'r, 1900-1; Sec. Preachers' Aid Society, 02-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (2224 S. Ogden, D'r)
- COLLISTER, Thomas C.—(2Mr)—Colo., Argo, \*2Se08-9-10; At School, 11-2; Victor, 13-(\*26Mr26Se)4; Paonia, 15; Fruita, 16-7 (12Se15; 20Fe17)
- COOK, George W.—(3Mr)—Colo., Calhan, \*\*30Au10; Castle Rock, 11-2-3; Littleton, 14-5; Palisades, 16; Eagle-Gypsum, 17
- COOK, Thomas P.—(2Fe)—Colo., Del Norte-Saguache, \*31J175; Silverton, 76; Monument, 77; Fairplay-Alma, 78(\*31De30Ju)-8-9-80; Gothic-Rock Creek, 81; Crested Butte-Ohio Creek, 82; S'y, 83; Florence-Creek, 84-5-6; Bald Mountain, 87-8; New Windsor, 89-90; Colorado City, 91-2-3; Buena Vista, 94; Ouray, 95-6; Rockvale, 97-8; S'y, 99; Norwood, 1900-1; Cedaredge, 02; Utah Mission, Payson, 03-4; Tooele, 05-6-7-8-9-10; Logan Ct., 11; Park City, 12-3-4-5; Retired, 1Se16— (161 E 7th St., Riverside, Calif.)

- COOPER, Charles M.—(2Mr)—Colo., Breckenridge, \*\*30Au98-9; Fowler, 1900-1-2-3; New Windsor, 04.5-6-7-8-9; Asbury, Colo. Spr., 10; Cripple Creek, 11; Arvada, 12-3-4-5; Center, 16-7
- COULTER, James T.—(4Mr)—Colo., Argo, D'r, 03; At School, 04-5; Bayfield, 06.\*4Se<sup>7</sup>; Telluride, 08-9; Eagle-Gypsum, 10 (P. O. Montrose, Data defective and desired.)
- CRAFT, Frost—(13Mr)—Se Indiana, Third St., Indianapolis, \* 13Se70-1-2; S'y, 73; Patterson Church, Indianapolis, 74; N. Indiana, Fort Wayne, 75-6-7(160c); Noblesville, 78-9-80-1; Grace, Richmond, 82-3-4; Indiana, Trinity, Evansville, 85-6; Nw. Indiana, Trinity, Evansville, 85-6; Nw. Indiana, Trinity, fayette, 87-8-9-90-1; Ill., First, Bloomington, 92-3-4-5-6; Decatur, 97-8-9-1900-1; Cologorium, D'r, 04-5-6-7-8-9; University Park, D'r, 10-1-2-3-4-5; Sec. Univ. of Denver, 16-7 (2052 S. Fillmore, D'r)
- CRANSTON, Earl—(1Ap)—Ohio, Portsmouth, \* 10c67-8; Town St., Columbus, 69; Minn., Winona, 70; Ill., Jacksonville, 71-2-3; Indiana, Trinity, Evansville, 74; Cin., Trinity, Cincinnati, 75-6-7; Colo., Lawrence St., D'r, 78-9; Southern Dist., 80-1-2-3; Agent Western Methodist Book Concern, 84-5-6-7-8-9-90-1-2-3-4-5; Bishop, 96———Retired, 16——(Washington, D. C.)
- CRONK, Winfield C .- (5Mr) -Colo., Telluride, (P. O. Hartman. Data defective and desired.)
- CURTIS, Stanley A.—(2Mr)—Des Moines, Thurman, 10; Neola-Crescent, 11; S'y, 12-3; Perry, 14; Colo., Dolores, \*2Se15-6-7 (Data defective and desired)
- DAVIS, John A.—(2Ap)—Upper Iowa, Shellsburg and Palo, \*\*20c84-5; Dysart, 86-7-8; Shell Rock, 89-90-1; Eldora, 92; Belle Plaine, 93-4-5; Mason City, 96-7; West Union, 98-9; Colo., Telluride, 1900; Boulder, 01-2-3; Greeley, 04-5-6-7; Field Sec. Univ. Chapel Fund, 08-9-10; Associate, University Park, 11-2-3; Retired, 12Se14—(2222 S. Columbine, D'r)
- DAVIS, T. Merrion—(8Mr)—Kentucky, Owensboro, (Lisbon, Colo.). (Data defective and desired)
- DEAN, J. Albert—(1Mr)—Colo., Meeker, \*\*29Au10-1; Chama, (N. M.), 12-3; Clifton, 14; Durango, 15; Aspen, 16; Alamosa, 17
- DEAN, J. Andrew—(13Ap)—Rock River, Bristol-Jericho, 98; Bristol-Montgomery, \*13Oc99; Geneva, 1900-1-2; Langley Ave., Chicago, 05(\*68e6Mr)-4; Marie Chapel, Chicago, 05; Colo., People's Miss., D'r, 06-7-8; Louisville, 09; Englewood, 10-1; Probation Officer, Juvenile Court, D'r, 12-3-4-5; Carbondale-Basalt, 16-7
- DICKEY, John M.—(6Mr)—Colo., Cripple Creek, \*\*6Se07; Fruita, 08; Glenwood Springs, 09-10; Hotchkiss, 11-2; Wyo. Miss., Casper, 13; Wyo. State Conf., Casper, 14-5; Colo., Haxtun, 16; Holyoke-Epworth, 17 (P. O. Holyoke) (24My03; 6Mr08; 4Jall)
- EDGERTON, Ervin N.—(22Fe)—Colo., Paonia, \*\*22Au1900-1-2; Aspen, 03; Montrose, 04-5-6-7; Monte Vista, 08-9-10-1; Fort Morgan, 12-3-4-5; Grand Junction Dist., 16-7 (Grand Junction) (20Fe08)
- EDWARDS, John R.—(1Mr)—III., Kinderhook, \*\*1Se04; Colo., Holbrook, 05-6; Clough Mem., D'r, 07-8-9; Alamosa, 10-1-2; Northern Ave., Pueblo, 13; Cameron Memorial, D'r, 14-5-6-7 (19th Field Artillery, San Antonio, Tex.) (7Fe08; 6Oc09)
- EITELGEORGE, Benjamin-(2Mr)-Colo., At School, \*5Se13; Aspen, 14-5; At School, 16: Idaho Springs, 17
- ELDRIDGE, John M—(4Ap)—Upper Iowa, Alburnett. \*\*40c99-1900-1; At School, 02-3; Nw. Kans., Goodland, 04-5-6; Colo., Littleton, 07-8-9-10; Platteville, 11-2-3-4-5; Broomfield, 16; Eaton, 17
- ELSTON, Howard L.—(1Mr)—Colo., Ignacio, (P. O. Mesa) (Data defective and desired)
- ESSERT, Frank H.—(17Mr)—Neb., Milford, \*\*25Se95; At School, 06-7; Colo., Salida, 98-99-1900; Trinidad, 01-2; Central Ohio, Bowling Green, 03-4; Renton, 05-6; Colo., Conference Evangelist, 07-8-9; Gen. Sec. W. H. M. Soc., 10-1; Conference Evangelist, 12-3; S'y, 14; National Lecturer, World's Purity Federation, 15-6-7 (2111 S. St. Paul, D'r) (25My02; 16Jl04; 19Ju06; 10Jl09)
- ESTLOW, Edward G. W.—(1Mr)—Colo., Cheraw, 13; At School, \*\*1Se14; Merino-Messex, 15; Hillrose-Snyder, 16-7 (9Ap16)

- EWERT, Albert L. T.—(18Ja)—Colo., Silver Plume, \* 30Jl83, Rawlins, Wyo., 84-5-6; Fort Collins, 87-8; Central City, 89-90; Ill., Taylorville, 91-2-3-4-5; First, Shelbyville, 96-7-8; Centenary, Jacksonville, 99-1900-1-2-3; Hoopestown, 04-5; Mattoon, 06-7-8; Bloomington Dist., 09-10-1-2-3; Kimber, (\*17Ju17De)14-5; Colo., La Junta, 16-7
- FAGEN, Lester P.—(12Mr)—Des Moines, Des Moines City Missions, \*\*18Se11-2-3; S'y, 14; Colo., Austin, 15; Pagosa Springs, 16; Palisades, 17 (2Jl13; 12Ja16)
- FERRIS, James S.—(5Ap)—Pittsburg, Donora, (P. O. Gunnison.) (Data defective and desired.)
- FLYNN, John M.—(1Mr)—Colo., Edgewater, 10-1; Plateau City, 12; Norwood, \*\*1Se13-4; Ridgway and Colona, 15-6; Ridgway, 17 (13Ju03; 26Fe07)
- FORRESTER, Robert H.—(12Mr).—Nw Indiana, S. Valparaiso, \*11Se99; Wanatan, 1900; Des Moines, City Missions, Des Moines, O1; Colo., Victor, O2; University Park, D'r, (10Ju)03; Central City, 04-5-6; Lamar, 07; St. Paul, Pueblo, 08-9; Capitol Hill, D'r, (\*14Fe14Au)10; Boulder, 11-2-3-4-5-6; Fort Collins, 17 (28Aul13; 3Jl15)
- FORSYTH, David D.—(2Ap)—W. Neb., Calaway, \*28Se89; At School, 90; Gothenberg, 91.2.3; Cozad, 94(\*20Se20Mr).5-6-7; First, Kearney, 98-9-1900; Wyo. Miss., Cheyenne, 01.2.3; Colo., Delta, 04; Grand Junction, 05-6-7-8-9; Denver Dist., 10-1.2.3-4-5; Corr. Sec. Bd. Home Missions and Church Extension, 16-7 (Arch and 17th, Philadelphia, Pa.)
- FRENCH, Henry S.—(1Ap.)—W. Neb., Anselmo, \*\*30Se06-7; Elm Creek, 08-9-10-1-2-3; Benkelman, 14; Colo., Merritt Memorial, D'r, 15-6-7 (2406 Federal Boulevard)
- GARNER, William M.—(2Mr)—Colo., Goldfield, (P. O. Paonia). (Data defective and desired)
- GARVER, Christian R.—(18Mr)—Ill., Pesotum, \*70c01(\*28No28My)-2; Ludlow, 03; S'y, 04; Colo., Idaho Springs, 05; S'y, 06; Sugar City, 07; Goldfield, 08; Myrtle Hill, 09-10; Supt. Wyo. Anti-Saloon League, 11; Asbury, Colo. Spr., 12-3-4; Gunnison, 15; Ogden, Utah Mission, 16-7 (Ogden, Utah) (5Se02; 7J109)
- GATLEY, William T.—(28Se)—St. Louis, Wheatland, \*\*2Ap1900-1-2; N. Neb., Bancroft, 03; St. Louis, East Lynn, 04-5; Adrian, 06; W. Neb., Franklin, 07-8; Cambridge, 09-10-1; Colo., Steamboat Spr., 12-3-4; Fowler, 15; Julesburg, 16-7 (26Ap02; 17Au04)
- GIBBS, Franklin F.—(80c)—Wyoming, Bethany, \*\*20Ap03-4-5-6; Lake Como, 07; Delano, 08; Colo., Holly, 09-10; Center, 11-2; Olathe, 13-4; Victor, 15-6; Wheatridge, 17 (5My02)
- GREENE, William H.—(22Fe)—Neb. \*Se77; Colo., Ouray, 78(\*17Au17Fe)-9-80; Golden, 81-2; Platteville, 83-4; S'y, 85-6-7-8-9; Retired, 25J190—— (Johnson, Florida)
- GRIFFIN, Pearl D.—(18Mr)—S. Ill., Russellville, \*\*24Se06; Claremont, 07-8; W. Salem, 09; Allendale, 10; Colo., Atwood and Merino, 11-2-3; Atwood and Willard, 14-5; Pawnee Ct., 16-7 (New Raymer) (12Fe04; 4Au09; 25Mrl1; 26Ja14; 14Se16)
- GRIM, William S.—(16Mr)—Indiana, Bowling Green, 89; At School, \*16Se90; Newburg, 91-2(\*16No16My); Oakland City, 93; Stewartsville, 94-5; Howell, 96; Lawrence, 97-8; Brooklyn, 99-1900; Oregon, Oregon City, 01-2; Astoria, 03-4; Colo., Delta, 05-6; Leadville, 07-8; Rapid City, Black Hills Mission, 09-10-1; Retired, 31Aul2-3-4-5; Durango, 16-7
- HALL, Arthur W.—(2Mr)—Colo., City Missions, Pueblo, \*\*5Se13-4-5-6-7 (698 E. Abriendo Ave.) (26Mr03; 5Jl07; 23No16)
- HAMILTON, Thomas J.—(10Mr)—Erie, Géneva, (Associate), \*130c84; Albion ( 80c)85-6;
   Espybille, 87-8-9; Sherman, 90-1; E. Randolph, 92-3; Sheffield, 94-5-6; Youngsville-Irvinetown, 97-8-9; Parker's Landing, 1900-1-2; Clintonville, 03; Rouseville-Plummer, 04-5-6-7; E. Brady, 96(\*120c12Ap)-9; Upper Iowa, Hopkinton, 10-1; State Center, 12; Colo., Sugar City, 13; S'y, 14-5-6-7 (1451 Gilpin, D'r) (12Ap10)
- HANCHER, Charles W.—(288e)—Sw. Kans., Walton, \*\*3Ap99-1900; Valley Center, 01-2; Halstead, 03-4-5; Colo., Bethel, Pueblo, 06-7; Central City, 08-9-10; Loveland, 11-2-3-4-5; Pueblo Dist., 16-7 (Pueblo)
- HARRIS, James F.—(8Mr)—Des Moines, Greenbriar Ct., \*\*1Se79; Ridgeway, 80; Oakland, 81; Colo., Florence and Coal Creek, 82-3; Salida, 84; St. James, D'r, 85-6; North Denver, 87-8-9-90; Canon City, 91-2; S. Calif, Coronado Beach, 93; Colo., Canon City, 94-5; Broadway, Pueblo, 96-7; Pueblo Dist., 98-9-1900-1-2-3; Asbury, D'r, 04-5-6-7-8-9; Canon City, 10-1-2; University Endowment Agent, 13-4-5-6-7 (2217 S. Clayton, D'r)

- HENDERSON, George M.—(1Au)—Ark., West Fork, \* 1Fe93; Bentonville, 94-5; Frank-Lynn Memorial, Little Rock, 96-7-8-9-1900; Little Rock Dist., 01-2-3-4; E. Ohio, Jefferson, 05; Grace, Youngstown, 06-7-8-9-10; Sw. Kans., First, Winfield, 11-2; Colo., St. Paul, Pueblo, 13; Trinidad, 14-5(\*19De19Ju); Greeley, 16-7 (8No02; 11Se05)
- HOLE, Louis J.—(3Au)—St. Johns River, Melbourne, \*29Ja93(\*5Jl5Ja)-4; Orange City, 95-6; S'y, 97-8; Colo., Del Norte, 99; Pagosa Springs, 1900-1-2-3; Basalt and Carbondale, 04-5; Aspen, 06-7; Montrose, 08-9-10-1-2; Canon City, 13-4; Highlands, D'r, 15-6-7 (3920 W. 32nd, D'r)
- HOLLENBACK, Frank R.—(1Mr)—Neb., Prairie Home, 94; Brainerd, 95; At School, 96-\*\*18e97-8; Colo., Basalt and Carbondale, 99; Basalt, 1900; Salida, 01-2-3; Rocky Ford, 04-5-6; Canon City, 07-8; Denver Nw. and Colorado Springs Dist., 09-10-1-2; Grace and Evans Mem., D'r, 13-4; Greeley Dist., 15-6-7 (780 Elizabeth) (26Fe11)
- HOOPER, Thomas J.—(20Fe)—Montana, Tooele, Utah Mission, \* 13Au94-5; Colo., At School, 96; Louisville, 97-8; Erie, 99-1900; Julesburg, 01-2; Leadville, 03-4; Fort Lupton, 05-6(\*11J111Ja); St. James, D'r, 07-8-9; Associate, Asbury, D'r, 10; Merritt Mem., D'r 11; S'y, 12; Agt. Peniel Trust, 13; Buttes, 14-5; S'y, 16-7 (Akron) (14Au07)
- HORTON, Alson B.—(19Ap)—Oklahoma, Lamont Ct., 08; Cashion and Navina, 09; Shattuck, \*\*19Oc10-1; Thomas, 12-3; Fairview, 14; Colo., Cedaredge, 15; Hotchkiss, 16-7 (16No06; 21Ap10)
- HUETT, Charles W.—(19Ja)—Colo., Louisville, \*\*31Au96; Idaho, Payette and Ontario, 97; Japan, Sendai, 98-99-1900; Sapporo Dist., 01-2-3-4-5-6; Colo., Appointment in Japan, 07; Northern Ave., Pueblo, 08-9; Sterling, 10-1-2; Greeley, 13-4-5; Trinidad, 16-7
- HURLSTONE, Albert—(28Fe)—Indiana, Grand View, \*25Au84-5; Booneville, 86(\*19Jl19Ja);
  Locust St., Greencastle, 87-8-9-90-1; Martinsville, 92-3; Trinity, New Albany, 94-5-6-7-8; College Ave., Bloomington, 99; Trinity, New Albany, 1900-1-2; Roberts Park, Indianapolis, 03-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5; Evansville Dist., 16; Colo., Warren Memorial, D'r, 17 (1522 Lafayette)
- HUSTON, John W.—(24Se)—Missouri, Hazel Grove, \*\*2Ap80; Westborough, 81; Quitman, 82; Graham, 83; Maitland, 84; Wisconsin, Port Washington, 85-6; Mo., Cameron, 87-8-9; Pres. Missouri Inst., 90-1-2; Idaho, Boise City, 95-4-5-6; S. Kans., First, Emporia, 97-8-9; Colo., Fort Collins, 1900-1; Laramie, Wyo., 02; Fifth Ave., D'r, 03-4-5-6-7-8; Highlands, D'r, 09; Quincy, Cal., Nevada Mission, 10-1-2-3-4; Bishop, Calif., 15-6; Retired, 31Au17—— (Sheridan, Cal.)
- HUTCHINS, James A.—(17Mr)—Ill., Hull, \*\*23Se07; Lerna, 08-9-10; At School, 11; Mc-Kinley Memorial, Danville, 12; At School, 13; Colo., Eagle-Gypsum, 14; Rifle, 15-6-7 (19No12)
- HYDE, Ammi B.—(2Fe)—Oneida, Prof. Cazenovia Seminary, 48; the same, \* 2Au49-50-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-60-1; E. Genesee, Rushville, 62-3; Erie, Prof. Allegheny Coll., 64-5-6-7-8-9-70-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-80-1-2-3-4; Colo., Prof. Univ. of Denver, 85-6-7-8-9-90-1-2-3-4(two years first pastor Univ. Park)-5-6-7-8-9-1900-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1; Retired, 31Au12—(2161 S. Josephine, D'r)
- ILIFF, Thomas C.—(2Fe)—Ohio, Coolville Ct., 100c70; Rocky Mountain, Missoula, \*\*2Au71-2; Bozeman, 73; Presiding Elder, 74-5; Utah Conf., Presiding Elder, 76-7-8-9; Colo., S'y, 80-1; Supt. Utah Mission, 82-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-90-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-1900; Asst. Sec. Board of Church Extension, 01-2-3-4-5-6; Asst. Sec. Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, 07-8; Barnum, 09; Associate, Grace Church, D'r, 10; Conf. Sec. Church Extension, 11-2-3-4; Retired 1Se15—(Hollister, Idaho)
- INGRAHAM, Edward G.—(2Mr).—Colo., Yuma and Otis, \*\*5Se13-4; Fleming, 15-6; Fleming-New Haven, 17 (P. O. Fleming) (30c07; 10Ap10; 1Ap15)
- INMAN, Clyde H.—(6Mr)—Erie, Volusia, 02; Wattsburg, 03; McKean, 04-\*\*6Se5-6; N. Girard, 07; Colo., Steamboat Springs, 08-9; Ordway, 10-1; Las Animas, 12-3; Lamar, 14-5; St. Paul, Colo. Spr., 16-7 (28Mr04)
- JOHNSON, J. Freelen-(4Mr)-Colo., Broomfield, \*\*3Se13-4; Akron, 15-6-7 (26Ja14)

- KEESER, William J.—(3Mr)—Des Moines, At School, 12-\*\*3Se13-4; Colo., People's Mission, D'r, 15; Austin, 16; Pagosa Springs, 17
- KETCHUM, John H.—(2Mr)—Colo., Goldfield, \*\*5Se13-4; Simpson, D'r, 15-6; Northern Ave., Pueblo, 17 (Data incomplete and desired.)
- KIDD, William J.—(4Mr)—Colo., Box Elder Ct., 06; Fort Collins Ct., \*\*4Se07-8; Berthoud, 09-10; Wright Mem., D'r, 11; Black Hawk and Bald Mountain, 12-3-4; Florence, 15-6; On Leave, 17 (1911 N. Main, Pueblo)
- KIRKBRIDE, Samuel H.—(190c)—Troy, Rockwood and Ephratah, \*\*25Ap87; St. James, Cohoes, 88; S'y, 89; Chama, New Mex. Mission, 90-1; S'y, 92; Colo., Florence, 03-4-5-6-7; Rio Grande Dist., 98-99-1900-1-2-3; First, Pueblo, 04-5-6; Agency Sec. Am. Bible Soc., 07-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (Evanston, Ill.) (23Mr02; 4J106)
- KITCHEN, George E.—(1Au)—Ark., Double Spring, \*31Ja91-2(\*30No30My); Bentonville, 95; Springdale and Fayetteville, 94.5; At School, 96-7-8-9-1900-1-2; S. Kans., Virgil, 03; Plymouth, 04; Melvern, 05-6; Scammon, 07-8; Walnut, 09-10-1-2; Cottonwood Falls, 13; Colo., Brighton, 14-5-6; Yuma, 17
- KLEIN, George F.—(25Fe)—Montana, Sundance, Black Hills Mission, \*\*26Au08-9; Edgemont, 10-1; Colo., Glenwood Spr., 12-3; Fruita, 14-5; Delta, 16-7 (21Fe05; 11Ju07; 15Ap17)
- KNIGHT, Henry F.—(28Mr)—Wisconsin, Campbellsport-Empire, 83-4; Lamertine, 85-\*\*28-Se86; Waterloo-Marshall, 87-8-9; S'y, 90; Dakota, Webster, 91; S. Dak., Langford, 92; Clear Lake-Goodwin, 93-4-5-6-7; Bradley, 98-9; Clear Lake, 1900-1; S'y, 02-3; Colo., Plateau-Mesa, 04; Mesa, 05-6-7; Norwood, 08; Newcastle, 09; S'y, 10-1-2-3-4; Retired, 48e15————— (New Plymouth, Idaho)
- KNUPP, Samuel—(28Se)—Mo., Milan, \*\*18Mr73; Lindley, 74-5-6; Kiddville, 77-8-9; Meadville, 80-1-2; Carrollton, 83-4-5; Clarence, 86-7-8; Glenwood, 89-90; Unionville, 91-2-3-4-5; Kahoka, 96-7-8; Maitland, 99-1900-1; Colo., Holyoke, 02; Merritt Mem., Dr., 03; Berkeley, Dr., 04-5-6-7; Georgetown, 08; John Collins, Dr., 09-10; Retired, 4Se11—(3934 Zenobia, Dr.)
- KONKEL, Guy E.—(1Mr)—Colo., Vineland-Avondale, \*\*1Se03; Vineland, 04; Georgetown, 05-6-7; Merritt Memorial, D'r, 08-9; Brush, 10-1-2; Christ Church, D'r, 13-4-5; Canon City, 16-7 (24Au04; 14Ja07; 5My12)
- KONKEL, Ozro G.—(1Mr)—Colo., Grace Rural, Longmont, \*12Se14; Evans, 15; Merino and Messex, 16; Longmont Ct., 17 (Longmont, R. F. D.)
- KRUEGER, Fred T.—(9Ja)—Colo., Black Hawk, \*10Ju95-6; New Windsor, 97(\*14Au24Fe)-8;
   Wyo. Mission, Laramie, 99-1900-1; Florence, 02-3; Dakota, Madison, 04; Redfield. 05;
   Colo., Sterling, 06-7-8-9; Fort Morgan, 10-1; Monte Vista, 12; Montrose, 13-4; First,
   Longmont, 15-6; Windsor, 17 (16Ap02)
- LACE, John J.—(22Se)—Mo., Bernard-Akroe, \*4Ap87; Washington Ave., St. Joseph, 88(17Jl); Maitland-Graham, 89; Mound City, 90; At School, 91-2-3-4; Bethany, 95-6 Nw. Iowa, Clear Lake, 97; LeMars, 98-9; Ida Grove Dist., 1900-1; Colo., Delta, 02-3; St. Paul, Pueblo, (\*14Jul4De)04-5-6-7; Greeley, 08-9; Rio Grande-Grand Junction Dist., 10-1-2-3-4-5; Loveland, 16; Supt. Utah Mission, 17 (Salt Lake City, Utah) (2Jl07)
- LARGE, J. Arthur—(20Mr)—S. III., At School, 92.\*20Se93; Glen Carbon, 94; Bethalto, 95(\*170c17Ap)-6-7; Upper Alton, 98-9; Shipman, 1900-1; Staunton, 02-3; Gillespic, 04; Colo., Granada, 05-6; Kersey, 07; Platteville, 08-9; Avondale, 10-1-2; Wiley, 13-4; Louisville-Lafayette, 15; Bowen-La Jara, 16; Pleasant Heights, 17 (40c03; 6Ap06; 29Se08)
- LEE, Nathan H.—(2Mr)—S. Ill., Sumner, \*15Se79; Miles, (\*16Ja16Jl)80-1; Kane, 02-3:
  At School, 04-5-6; Rock River, Arlington Heights, 87; Grand Crossing, Chicago, 88-9;
  S'y, 90; Colo., Wyo. Mission, Laramie, 91-2; Trinidad, 93-4-5-6; Grant Avenue, D'r, 978-3-1900; Fifth Ave., D'r, 01-2-3; Rio Grande Dist., 04-5-6-7-8-9; Asbury, D'r, 10; Conference Evangelist, 11; Supt. Wyoming Anti-Saloon League, 12; Monte Vista, 13-4;
  Rocky Ford, 15; Lamar, 16; Golden, 17
- I.EECH, Arthur L.—(180c)—Maine, Newfield, \*\*23Ap11; Gorham, North St., 12-3; Gorham, North St.-South Standish, 14; Cornish, 15-6; Colo., Florence, 17 (24No08; 1Fe11)

- LUCAS, Claudius F.—(190c)—Ky., At School, 94-5; Harlan, 96; Dorton and Pikeville, 97-98-\*\*19Ap99; Marion, 1900; N. Dak., Mandan, 01; Lamoure, 02-3; Oklahoma, Tulsa, Ind. Terr., 045; Alamagordo, N. Mex, Mission, 06; Roswell, 07-8; Santa Fe and Espanola, 09; Tucumeari, 10; Espanola, 11-2; French and Maxwell, 15-4; Colo., Bristol, 15; Hartman, 16; Fowler, 17 (13Se02; 14Jl06)
- MACLEAN, Angus M.—(30Se)—S. Kans., Richmond, 02; E. Iola, 03; Kincaid, \*30Mr04-(\*29De29Ju)-5-6; Le Roy, 07-8-9; Humboldt, 10; Erie, 11; Colo., Salida, 12-3-4; Monte Vista, 15-6-7 (1Ja07; Mr09; 15Fe13)
- MAHOOD, James W.—(7Ap)—-W. Va., Duffy, \*\*70c92; At School, 03; Assistant, Buckhannon, 04; Pine Grove, 05-6; At School, 07; Colo., Englewood, 08-9; Hess, D'r, 10-1; Eaton, 12-3-4-5-6; Loveland, 17
- MARSH, Chester L.—(6Ap)—N. Indiana, Bobo, 5Ap09\* 6Oc; At School, 10; Nw. Indiana, Cartersburg-Reelville, 11; Penniel-Sharon, 12; Hamlet, 13-4; Colo., Erie, 15-6; Utah Mission, Eureka, Utah, 17 (7Ja10; 28Au11; 4Ja13)
- MARTIN, Claude B.—(2Mr)—Colo., Hygiene, \*\*6Se15-6; Leadville, 17 (Data incomplete and desired)
- MARTIN, E. Burns—(3Mr)—Colo., Collins Church, D'r. \*\*1Se05; Manzanola, 06-7; Jefferson Ave., D'r. 08; Idaho Springs, 09-10-1; Paonia, 12-3-4; Congregational Church, Telluride, 15-6-7
- MARTIN, Josiah—(178e)—Kans., McLough, \*22Mr86; Central Ave., Kans. City, Kans., 87-8; Wood St., Kans. City, Kans., (\*6Ju6De)89; Wakefield, 90-1-2; At School, 93-4; Eskridge, 95; Waterville, 96-7-8; Soldier, 99-1900; Wyoming Mission, Casper, 01-2; Milford, 03-4; Colo., Cheyenne Wells, 05-6-7; Glenwood Springs, 08; Aspen, 09; Chama (N. M.), 10-1; Cheraw, 12; Swink, 13-4; Leadville, 15-6; Breckenridge, 17
- MAYNARD, Orville K.—(29Mr)—Upper Iowa, Nora Springs, \*24Se83; La Porte, (\*4Ju4De)-84; Fairbank, 85-6; At School, 87; Vail, 88; Gowrie, 89-90; Black Hills College, Black Hills Mission, 91-2; Nw. Iowa, Rockwell City, 93-4; Britt, 95-6-7; Emmetsburg, 98-9-1900; Grace, Sioux City, 01-2-3; Algona District, 04-5-6-7-8; Winfield, Sioux City, 09-10; Colo., Fruita, 11; Delta, 12-3; St. Paul, Pueblo, 14-5-6-7 (111 E. Routt)
- MAYO, Henry M.—(26Se)—Nw. Kans., Alton, \*\*30Mr85-6; Mentor, 87; Miltonvale, 88-9-90; Delphos, 91; Jewel City, 92-3; Concordia, 94-5; Colo., Rocky Ford, 96; Monte Vista, 97; Victor, 98-9; Longmont, 1900-1-2-3-4; Cameron Memorial, D'r, 05-6-7; Golden, 08-9; Pueblo District, 10-1-2-3-4-5; Endowment Secretary, U. of D., 16-7 (2180 S. Josephine, D'r)
- McDONALD, James—(2Mr)—Colo., Aguilar, \*\*5Se13-4; Wiley, 15-6-7 (30De01; 7Fe04; 25My08)
- McGUIRE, Frank E.—(18Au)—Mexico, El Oro, \*\*30Ja05-6; English Church, Mexico, 07-8-9-10-1-2; Colo., Park Hill, D'r, 13-4-5-6; Grand Junction, 17 (Y. M. C. A. Camp, San Antonio, Tex.)
- MEAD, Charles L.—(100c)—Newark, Union Place, \*9Ap95; Rutherford, 96(\*10Ju10De)-7-8; First, Hoboken, 99-1900-1-2-3-4; Centenary, Newark, 05-6-7-8-9; Balto., First, Balto., 10-1-2; New York, Madison Ave., N. Y. City, 13; Colo., Trinity, D'r, 14-5-6-7 (1830 Sherman) (100c02; 24No13)
- MILLER, William T.—(5Ap)—Minn., Canton, Mabel, and Lanesborough, \*50c88-89-90-1 (\*2SJ12SJa); Wabash and Kellogg, 92; Elgin, 93-4; Eyota and Viola, 95-6; Wood Lake, 97. Vermont, Wattsville and Fayston, 98-9; Alburgh, 1900-1-2; Grand Isle and Hero, 03-4; Colo., Holly, 05-6; Simpson, D'r, 07; Brighton, 08-9; Fifth Ave., D'r, 10; Aguilar, 11; Walden and Hebron, 12; Grover, 13; Wellington, 14; S'y, 15-6-7 (University Park)
- MORGAN, Ira L.—(28Fe)—Colo., At School, \*\*6Se15; Atwood, 16-7 (27My16)
- MORRIS, Herbert R.—(10Ap)—Pittsburg, Collier, \*\*13Oc02-3; Fayette City, 04-5; Webster, 06-7-8; Star Junction, 09-10-1; Colo., Telluride, 12; Hotchkiss, 13-4-5; Manzanola, 16-7 (290c01; 16Jl03; 11De04)
- MORRISON, Arthur—(1Mr)—Colo., Erie, \*\*1Se05-6; Lyons, '07; Berthoud, '08; Fort Collins Ct., 09-10; Longmont Ct., 11-2-3; Kersey, 14-5-6; Johnstown, 17
- MORRITT, Walter-Data defective and desired.

- NOLTE, Edward—(15Mr)—Des Moines, Fairmount, \*\*15Se98; E. Peru, 99; Cumberland, 1900; Nevinville, 01-2-3; Stanton, 04; Colo., Littleton, 05; Akron, 06; S'y, 07-8-9; Platner, 10-1-2-3-4-5-6; S'y, 17 (21Mr08)
- NUCKOLLS, George L.—(2Mr)—Oklahoma, Okema, \*\*2Se08; Colo., People's Mission, D'r, 09-10-1; Gunnison, 12-3-4; At School, 15; Washington Park, D'r, 16-7 (1218 S. High, D'r) (13My11; 23No14)
- OLIVER, John—(23Fe)—Colo., Walden, 98-9; Hebron, \* 23Au1900; Grover, 01; Haxtum, 02-3; Silver Plume, 04; Franktown Ct., 05; S'y, 06-7; Retired, 5Se08-9; Erie, 10-1; Evans, 12; Keota, 13; Conference Evangelist to Children, 14-5-6 (790 Sherman, D'r)
- PARKER, George S.—(3Ap)—Minn., Rush City and Pine City, \*\*70c89-90; At School, 91-2-5; Marion, 94; Chatfield, 95-6-7; Kasson, 98-9; Bates Ave., St. Paul, 1900-1; Dak., Madison, 02-3; Colo., Florence, 04; Leadville, 05-6; Merritt Memorial, D'r, Missionary, Bd. of S. S., 08-9-10-1-2-3; Fowler, 14; Retired, 15-6; Central City, 17
- PECK, Arthur C.—(17Ja)—Colo., Durango, \*\*30Jl83; Longmont, 84-5; First, Colorado Springs, 86-7-8-9-90; Dean of Colorado Seminary, 91-2; Haymarket Mission, D'r., 93-4-5-6; Located, 30Au97; Readmitted, City Temple, D'r, 99-1900-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (1046 Ogden, D'r)
- PEPPER, William—(1Mr)—Colo., Argo, D'r, \*\*1Se14-5; Glenwood Springs, 16-7 (30Ju02)
- PHIFER, William D.—(1Ap)—Nw. Iowa, Clear Lake Ct., \*\*60c79; Black Hills Mission, Lead City, 80-1; Central City, 82; Webster City, 83-4-5; Agt. Cornell College, 86-7-8-9-90-1-2; At School, 93-4-5; Spirit Lake, 96; Colo., Asbury, D'r, 97-8; Greeley Dist., 99-1900-1-2-3; Denver Northwestern Dist., 04-5-6-7-8; Canon City, 09; Loveland, 10; Palmer Lake, 11; Retired, 12-3; S'y, 14-5; National Lecturer on Prohibition, 16-7 (1263 Columbine, D'r)
- PIMLOTT, Francis W.—(5Mr)—Colo., Limon, \*\*4Sel1-2; Parker, 13; Alamosa, 14; Ordway, 15-6-7 (18Myl2)
- PINGREE, Henry M.—(1Mr)—Colo., Las Animas, 02-\*1Se3-4; Florence, 05-(\*2My2No)6-7; Lamar, 08-9-10; Asbury, D'r, 11-2-3; Missionary, Bd. of S. S., 14-5-6-7 (2308 S. University, D'r) (18De12)
- POHL, Harry H. E.—(16Mr)—Okla., Peckham Ct., \*\*120c08; Marshall, 09; Jennings-Terlton, 10; Mulhall, 11; Glencoe, 12; Af. School, 13; Star Chapel, 14; Colo., Mesa-Plateau City, 15; Vineland-Avondale, 16; Goldfield, 17; (20Mr03; 30Ap04; 10Au05; 15Se07; 30c13; 4Jal5)
- RADER, Jacob R.—(16Se)—St. Louis, Schell City, \*4Ap81; Malta Bend and Marshall, 82; Lee's Summit, 83; Colo., Silver Plume, 84; Idaho Springs, 85-6; Aspen, 87; Arvada (\*20My20No)88; Buena Vista, 89-90; Sterling and Julesburg, 91; Sterling, 92; Julesburg, 93-4; Fort Lupton, 95; Golden, 96; Erie, 97-8; New Windsor, 99-1900; Arvada, 01-2-3; Castle Rock, 04; S'y, 05; Assistant, People's Tabernacle, D'r, 06-7; City Missions, D'r, 08; S'y, 09-1-2-3; Retired, 12Se14——(822 Broadway, D'r)
- RAGATZ, Arthur F.—(23Fe)—Colo., Vineland, \*\*1Se1900; Castle Rock, 01-2; Sterling, 03-4-5; St. James, D'r, 06; Loveland, 07-8-9; Christ, D'r, 10-1-2; Agency Sec. Am. Bi. Society, 13-4-5-6-7 (Y. M. C. A. Bldg., D'r) (24My05)
- RASSWEILER, George F.—(9Ap)—Rock River, Fernwood, Chicago, \*\*90c05-6-7; First, Chicago Heights, 08-9; Colo., Durango, 10-1; Fruita, 12; Utah Mission, Ogden, 13-4-5; Asbury, D'r, 16; Asbury, Colorado Springs, 17 (3234 Bryant, Denver) (16Mr03; 28Fe10)
- READ, William B .- (Data defective and desired.)
- RHODES, Robert H.—(25Mr)—Indiana, Rono Ct., \*\*110c59-60; Edwardsport, 61; Newberry, 63; S'y, 63-4-5-6; Loogootee, 67-8-9; S'y, 70-1-2-3; Colo., Caribou-Gold Hill, 74; Arvada, 75; Sy, 76-7-8-9-80-1; Silver Plume, 82; S'y, 83-4-5-6-7-8-9-90-1-2-3-4-5-6; Retired, 28Au97———(Milliken)
- RICE, Arthur W.—(11Ap)—Cent. N. Y., Lock Berlin, \*16Oc( 30Oc)88; Locke, 8-9-90-1; Oeasco, 92; Sterling, 93-4-5-6-7; Fair Raven, 98-9-1900-1-2; Rushville, 03-4-5-6; Colo., Ordway, 07-8; Arvada, 09-10-1; Central City, 12; Wray, 13-4-5-6-7 (5Mr04)
- ROEDEL, Adolph—(15Mr)—Detroit, Waterloo, 85; Webberville, \*15Se86-7; At School, 88-9; Goodrich, 90-1; Linden, (\*29Se29Mr) 92-3-4-5; Durand, 96-7-8-9-1900-1; Milford, 02-3-4; S'y, 05-6; Colo., Center, 07-8-9-10; Del Norte, 11-2-3; San Luis Valley Ct., 14-5; S'y, 16-7 (Center)

- ROSE, Forrest H.—(27Se)—Oklahoma, Marena, 1900 \*\*27Mr01; Sw. Kans., Pontiac, 02-3; Annelly, 04; Walton, 05; Colo., Eagle, 06-7-8-9; Rifle, 10; S'y, 11-2-8-4; Basalt and Grand Valley, 15; Meeker, 16-7 (4Mr02; 14Ap09)
- ROSE, John W.—(188c)—Missouri, Rutledge, \*6Ap96-7; Green Castle (\*22Ju22De)98-9; Wyoming Mission, Lander, 1900-1; Colo., Argo and Greenwood, 02; Gunnison, 03-4; S'y, 05; Retired, 2Se06—— (Dodge City, Kans.) (24De06)
- ROSS, Benjamin F.—(228e)—S. Kans., Bartlett, \*\*13Mr99; Thayer, 1900-1; Strong, 02; Hamilton, 03-4-5; Colo., Cedaredge, 06; Holly, 07-8; Ordway, 09; S'y, 10-1-2; Telluride, 13-4; Eagle-Gypsum, 15-6; Aspen, 17 (98e02; 6My12)
- ROWAND, Charles A.—(26Se)—N. Indiana, Centerville, 95; Lyon, \*25Mr(\*24Ju24De)06-7-8; Markle, 99-1900-1; N. Manchester, 02-3-4; First, Fort Wayne, 05-6-7-8; First, Marion, 09-10; Colo., Fort Collins, 11-2-3-4-5-6; Boulder, 17 (29Mr03)
- RUTLEDGE, Robert S.—(10c)—St. Louis, Puxico, \*\*31Mr02; Cent. Tenn., McLemoresville Collegiate Inst.; Dyersburg, 03; Nw. Kans., Norcatur, 04; Atwood, 05; Phillipsburg, 06; St. Francis, 07; Sw. Kans., Leoti, 08; Cimarron, 09; Lewis, 10-1-2-3; Colo., Limon, 14; East Colorado Mission, 15; On Leave, 16; Retired 31Au17— (Broomfield)
- SANDERSON, Robert—(210c)—Vt., Morrisville, \*\*27Ap74; Montgomery, 75; Bethel, 76; Granville, 77-8-9; Cabot, 80-1-2; Ohio, Hebron, 85-4; Sw. Kans., Cheney, 85; Hazelton, 86; Medicine Lodge, 87-8-9; Halstead, 90-1; S. Kans., Grace, Emporia, 92-3; Colo., Idaho Springs, 94; Cameron, D'r, 95; Fifth Ave., D'r, 96-7-8; Grand Junction, 99-1900-1-2; Durango, 03-4; Bethel, Pueblo, 05; Arvada, 06-7-8; Conf. Evangelist, 09-10; Retired 4Se11—— (Arvada)
- SAYWELL, George G.—(3Mr)—Colo., Haxtun, \*\*1Se05.6; Longmont Ct., 07-8; Vineland, 09; Granada, 10; Wiley, 11-2; Alamosa, 13; Del Norte, 14; Fort Lupton, 15-6-7 (2Ap04; 9Fe09)
- SCOTT, Del Monte—(2Mr)—Sw. Kans., Iuka, 06-7; Colo., Kersey, \*\*2Se08; Vernon, 09; Louisville, 10-1; Cheyenne Wells, 12-3; Castle Rock, 14-5; Calhan, 16-7 (19Ja04)
- SCOTT, William T.—(20Se)—St. Louis, Tower Grove, St. Louis, \*19Mr94-5-6; Epworth, Sedalia, (25Mr)97-8-9-1900; Summit St., Kansis City, Mo., 01-2; Sw. Kans., First, Winfield, 03-4-5; Kans., Atchison, 06-7-(\*7Ju7De)8-9; Colo., Boulder, 10; Capitol Hill, D'r, 11-2; Colorado Springs Dist., 13-4-5-6-7 (Colorado Springs) (1Fe03; 14Oc05; 6Mr10)
- SHEPHERD, James Albert—(2Mr)—Colo., Rocky Ford Ct., 7Se07; Atwood-Merino, \*\*2Se08; Hillrose-Snyder, 09-10; Sugar City, 11; Crawford, 12-3-4; Granada, 15; Aguilar, 16-7 (20No10)
- SIMMONS, Charles W.—(4Mr)—lowa, Martinsburg, 83; Fairfield Ct., \*4Se84; At School, 85-6-7; Bengal Conf., 88(\*23Au23Fe); Nw. India, Moradabad, 89; Iowa Conf., 90; Colo., Mosca, 91-2; Rifle, 93-4; Fruita, 05-6-7; Castle Rock, 98; Arvada, 99-1900; Erie, 01; Highlands, D'r, 02; S'y, 03-4; Rocky Ford Ct., 05-6; Plateau City, 07-8; S'y, 09-10-1-2; Plateau City, 13; S'y, 14-5-6 (Plateau City)
- SLUTZ, Stephen H.—(21Mr)—N. Ohio, Berlin Heights, \*\*21Se86-7; Clarksville-Hinkley, 88-9; Brunswick-Hinkley, 90-1-2-3; N. and S. Amherst, 94-5; Wadsworth, 96-7; Orrville, 98-9; Danville, 1900-1; S'y, 02; Collo., Rifle, 03; Argo, D'r, 04; Castle Rock, 05; S'y, 06; Collins Church, D'r, 07-8; Holly, 09; S'y, 10-1; Retired, 31Aul 2——(349 Clarkson, D'r)
- SMITH, Ray W.—(28Fe)—Mo., At School, \*\*20c11; W. Wisc., Hixton, 12-3; Wonewoc, 14-5; N. Dak., Sherwood, 16; Colo., Utah Mission, Logan, Utah, 17 (6Ja15)
- SMITH, Reuben N.—(17Ap)—Blue Ridge, Harker's Island, \* 220c88; At School, 89; Marion, 90; Boone, 91; Located, 92; Readmitted, Okla., Perkins, 92-3-4; Perry, 95-6; Colo., Paonia, 97-8; At School, 99; Holyoke, 1900-1(\*28Au28Fe); Sterling, 02; Julesburg, 03-4-5-6; Paonia, 07-8; Palisades, 09-10-1; Windsor, 12-3-4-5-6; Lamar, 17 (28Ja04; 24Jl08; 17Ju10)
- SMITH, Roy Leslie—(2Mr)—Colo., Sugar City, \*\*7Se08-9-10; Washington Park, D'r, 11-2-3-4-5; Christ Church, D'r, 16-7 (2121 Gilpin) (2Jl10; 13Ap14)

- SPEER, William W.—(2Ap)—Nw. Indiana, Wolcott, 10; Roachdale, 11-\*\*2Oc12; Waveland and New Market, 13-4; Advance-New Rose, 15; Cortez, 16; Olathe, 17 (24Ju08; 2Au09; 8J115)
- SPENCE, George A.—(29Mr)—Ohio, Junction City, 88; At School, 89-90-\* 29Se1; Coal Grove, 92.3; Palestine, 94; Lewis Center, (\*8MyNo)95-6; S'y, 97-8-9-1900; Colo., Walden, 01-2; Kersey, 03; Box Elder and Wellington, 04; Fort Collins Ct., 05; Holyoke, 06-7; Lyons and Hygiene, 08; Castle Rock, 09; Haxtun, 10-1; Haxtun Ct., 12; Johnstown, 13; Holly, 14-5; Retired, 1Se16— (2222 S. University, D'r) (22Ap02)
- SPENCER, Claudius B.—(14Mr)—Detroit, Calumet-Osceola-Allousz, \*19Se81; Stoneville-National Mission, 82; Sixteenth St., Detroit, 83-4-5(\*20Oc20Ap); Lincoln Ave., Detroit, 86; Owosso, 87-8-9; Preston, Detroit, 90-1; Colo., Christ Ch., D'r, 92-3-4; Asbury, D'r, 94-5; Editor Rocky Mountain Christian Advocate, 97-8-9; Editor Central Christian Advocate, 1900-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (Kansas City, Mo.)
- SPENCER, Paul M.—(15Mr)—Cal., Live Oak and Nelson, \*19Se98; Assistant, First, Oakland, 99-1900; At School, 01-2-3-4; Colo., Myrtle Hill, D'r, 05-6-7-8; At School, 09; Church of Strangers, N. Y. City, 10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (309 W. 57th, N. Y. City)
- STEELE, Charles B.—(17Mr)—Detroit, West Branch, \*16Se85; Harrisville, (\*3Mr3Se)86-7; Oscoda-Indian Mission, 88; S'y, 89; E. Tawas, 90-1-2; Woodward Ave., Detroit, 93; First, W. Bay City, 94-5-6-7; Mount Clemons, 98-9; Central, Sault Ste. Marie, 1900-1-2; Port Huron District, 05-4-5-6-7-8; Jefferson Ave., Saginaw, 09-10; Colo., Golden, 11-2-3; Delta, 14-5; Fort Morgan, 16-7 (18J105); 7N007)
- STEELE, Wilbur F.—(60c)—Providence, (N. E. So.) Raynham, 28Mr(\*21My21No)74-5; Rockland, 76; So. Yarmouth, 77-8; E. Greenwich, 79; Vineyard Haven, 80-1; North Carolina, Prin. Bennett Sem., Greensboro, N. C., 82-3-4-5-6-7-8; N. E. So., S'y, 89; At School, 90-1-2; Colo., Univ. of Denver, Iliff School of Theology, 93 (first pastor Fort Morgan)-4-5-6-7-8-9; Univ. of Denver, 1900-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 (pastor at Wheat Ridge; Argo; John Collins; Jefferson Ave., and First at Hudson)-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (2161 S. Josephine, D'r)
- STUNTZ, George H.—(19Mr)—Eric, Steamburg, \*\*14Se96; Guy's Mills, 97-8-9-1900-1-2; Edinboro, 03-4-5-6; Colo., Victor, 07-8-9; Colorado City, 10-1-2-3-4-5; Rocky Ford, 16-7
- SULMONETTI, Francesco P.—(2Mr)—Colo., Italian Church, D'r, \*\*2Se10-1-2-3-4-5-6-7 (3225 Wyandot) (28Fe03; 17Ja05; 3Ja07; 12Oc08; 12Ap12)
- THIBODEAU, Charles O.—(2Mr)—Colo., Cripple Creek, \*\*2Se08-9-10; Highlands, D'r, 11-2-3-4; Grace, D'r, 15-6-7 (1257 Bannock) (12Ju14)
- THOMAS, James—(3Mr)—Mich., Cooper St., Jackson, \*16Se07-(\*27Mr27Se)8; Colo., Wiley, 09; Florence, 10-1-2-3; Manzanola, 14-5; Grant Ave., D'r, 16-7 (216 S. Grant) (23My09)
- THURLOW, Amos C.—(2Ap)—Okla., Mulhall, \*\*20c03-4; Lamont, 05; Second Church, Guthrie, 06; Second Church, Oklahoma City, 07; Glencoe, 08; Yewed, 09; S'y 10-1; Colo., Bowen-La Jara, 12; Center, 13-4-5; Sedgwick, 16; Sedgwick-Ovid, 17 (P. O. Sedgwick) (12De03)
- TOBIE, Willard N.—(1Ap)—Ill., White Heath; \*\*25Se99; Parks Chapel, Urbana, 1900-1-2-3-4; Trinity, Urbana, 05-6; Douglass Ave., Springfield, 07-8-9-10; Lincoln, 11-2-3-4; Danville Dist., 15; Colo., Grand Junction, 16; On Leave, 17 (Grand Junction)
- TRAMEL, Thomas J.—(7Mr)—Colo., Barnum, \*\*7Se12-3-4; Wyoming State Conf., Rock Springs, 15; Colo., Platteville, 16; Utah Mission, Bingham Canon, Utah, 17 (14Fe17)
- TUCK, Ernest E.—(2Mr)—Colo., Hudson, \* 5Se13; Cortez, 14; Glenwood Springs, 15; At School, 16-7(\*15Au15Fe) (72 Mt Vernon St., Boston, Mass.)
  - TYRE, Theodore B.—(3Mr)—Colo., Manzanola, \*\*1Se05; Hotchkiss, 06-7-8; Eaton, 09-10-1; Haxtun, 12-3-4-5; Bethel, Pueblo, 16-7 (6Fe02)
  - VARCOE, Fred—(4Mr)—Neb. Deweese, 10; At School, 11-2-\*\*4Se13-4; Walden, 15-6; Vernon-Mount Hope, 17 (9My11; 29Ju15)
  - VERMILLION, John Q.—(11Mr)—Nw. Indiana, Fontanlet-Coal Bluff, \*\*10Se1900; Bellmore, 01-2-3; Colo., Pagosa Springs, 04; Gunnison, 05; Palisades, 06-7-8; Paonia, 09-10-11; Durango. 12; Associate, Grand Junction, 13; S'y, 14-5-6-7 (Pagosa Springs)

- VINCENT, Bethuel T.—(25Mr)—Rock River, Lemont, \* 20c61; Lockport, 62; Colo., Central City, 63-4-5; Denver, 66-(\*6Ju6De)7; Denver Dist., 68-9-70-1; Lawrence St., D'r, 72-3-4; Colorado Springs, 75; Phil., Mauch Chunk, 76-7-8; Park Ave., Phil., 79-80-1; Pottsville, 82-3-4; Fortieth St., Phil., 85-6; E. Ohio, First, Akron, 87-8; Colo., First, Pueblo, 89-90-1; Denver Dist., 92-3-4-5-6-7; Greeley, 98-9-1900-1-2-3; Golden, 04-5-6-7; S'y, 08-9-10-1-2; Retired, 58e13———(903 E. 14th Ave., D'r)
- WALDER, William—(29Mr)—Minn., Fillmore, \*\*50c034; Wesley, Winona, 05; Colo., Meeker, 06; Vineland, 07-8; South Park, 09; Atwood-Merino, 10; Akron, 11; Buttes, 12; S'y, 13-4-5-6-7 (Akron) (17De04)
- WALLER, Alfred J.—(11Mr)—Nw. Indiana, Whiting, \*10Se94-5; Yeoman, 96; Wanata, 97; Plainfield, 98-9-1900; Terre Hante, 01-2; Winamac, 03(\*17No17My)4; Michigan City, 05-6-7; Colo., Colorado City, 08; Julesburg, 09-10; First, Longmont, 11-2-3-4; First, Pueblo, 15-6-7 (12Mr05; 30Jl08)
- WALLER, William D.—(12Ju) South India, Hyderabad, \*25De93-4-5; Karachi, (\*Ja9Jl6)-96-7-8-9-1900-1-2; Central Provinces, Kamoti, 03-4-5-6-7-8; Northern N. Y., West Winfield, 09; Colo., Holyoke, 10-1-2; Julesburg, 13; Golden, 14-5-6; First, Longmont, 17.
- WARNER, Sylvanus B.—(23Mr).—Upper Iowa, Marion Ct., \*\*40c74-5; Tama City, 76-7; Blairstown, 78-9-80; Minn., First, Fargo, 81; Grace, St. Paul, 82-3; St. Paul Dist., 84-5-6-7; Foss, Minneapolis, 88; Oxford Ch., St. Paul, 88-90-1; Grace, St. Paul, 92; Colo., First, Pueblo, 93-4-5; St. Louis, Dundee Place, Kansas City, 96-7-8; St. Louis Dist., 99-1900-1; Colo., First, Pueblo, 02-3; Boulder, 04-5-6-7; Christ Ch., D'r, 08-9; Grand Junction, 10-1; Rocky Ford, 12-3-4; Retired, 68e15—— (Rocky Ford)
- WATSON, James V.—(6Ap)—Okla., Lehigh-Coalgate, \*\*50c03; Collinsville, 04-5; Taloga, 06; Oolaga Ct., 07; No Appointment, 08; Peckham, 09; Yewed, 10; Colo., Loma, 11; Grand Valley, 12; Basalt-Grand Valley, 13; Conference Evangelist, 14; S'y, 15-6-7 (Colorado Springs)
- WEBBER, Sherwood A.—(9De)—Colo., Aspen Junction Ct., \*\*13Ju92-3; Breckenridge, 94; Mosca and La Jara, 95-6; Mosca, 97; Wheatridge, 98; Bald Mountain, 99-1900-1-2; Platteville, 03-4-5; Gunnison, 06-7-8; Leadville, 09-10; Central City, 11; Conference Evangelist, 12; Evanston, Wyo. Mission, 13; Conference Evangelist, 14-5; Leave of Absence, 16; Community Church, Green River, Wyo., 17 (3314 W. 31st Ave., D'r) (5Ap02)
- WHITE, John F.—(12Fe)—Colo., Silver Plume, \*\*10Au78; Idaho, 79-80-1; Longmont, 82-3; Golden, 84-5-6; Loveland, 87; Black Hawk, 88-9; Arvada, 90-1-2; S'y, 93-4-5-6-7-8-9-1900; Broomfield, 01; S'y, 02; Broomfield, 03-4; S'y, 05-6-7-8-0; Associate, Arvada, 10; S'y, 11-2; Semper, 13; S'y, 14-5-6-7 (Arvada)
- WILCOX, Charles B.—(80Mr)—Wisc., Pleasant Prairie, \* 210c80; Sharon, 81-2; Court St., Janesville, 85-4; First, Oshkosh, 85-6-7-8-9; Minn., First, St. Paul, 90-1-2-3-4-5; Nw. Indiana, Trinity, Lafayette, 96-7-8-9; St. Louis, Grand Ave. Kansas City, 1900; Colo., Colorado Springs, 01-2-3-4-5-6-7-8; Trinity, D'r, 09-10-1-2-3; Asbury, D'r, 14-5; First, Colorado Springs, 16-7
- WINTERBOURNE, John—(26Mr)—Des Moines, Capitol Park, Des Moines, \*\*30Se95;
  Ankeney, 96-7; Brown Chapel, 98; Medora, 99; At School, 1900; Pleasant Hill, 01;
  Lanesboro, 02; No Appointment, 03; Colo., Akron, 04-5; S'y, 06; Haxtun, 07-8-9;
  DeBeque and Grand Valley, 11; S'y, 12; Cripple Creek, 13; S'y, 14-5; Yuma, 16;
  Brighton, 17
- WOOD, Henry A.—(2Mr)—Colo., Vineland-Avondale, (P. O. Victor). (Data incomplete and desired)
- WRIGHT, Lynderman—(27Mr)—Minn., Caledonia, \*\*50c70; Bushford, 71-2-3; Sauk Center, 74-5; Olive Branch, Winona, 76-7; Marion, 78; Plain View, 79; S'y, 80-1-2-3; Colo., Eaton-Windsor, 84-5; Windsor, 86; S'y, 87-8; Golden, 89-90-1; Retired, 10Ju92—(Sawtelle, Calif.)
- ZIMMERMAN, Fred—(2Mr)—Colo., Bristol, \*\*5Se13; Hess, D'r, 14-5; Littleton, 16-7 (20J107; 4No08; 30No11; 29J13)

# XV Statistical Tables

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J. A. McClellan W. Coffman. Edwin Gaskill. Garner. Vir Den. Waller Dryden. Watson. Konkel. Wilcox Inman. Boner. Silkwood F. Clark Scott. Fish. osiab 5 Cheyenne Wells-Kit Carson. NAMES OF CHARGES Springs-Asbuty... Wet Mountain Valley ... Trinity (Colo. City) East Colorado Mission. Erie . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Cheyenne Canon. Victor First Church... Pikes Peak Mission. Steamboat Springs Rockvale.... Salida Jefferson Avenue Lafayette..... Florence.... Golden St. Pauls. Calban. Cripple Creek Hugo Idaho Springs Cimon.... Breckenridge Central City. Littleton .... Silver, Plume Black Hawk Castle Rock. eadville... Wheatridge. Burlington. Canon City. Broomfield. Louisville. Oak Creek Morrison. Goldfield Arvada.

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